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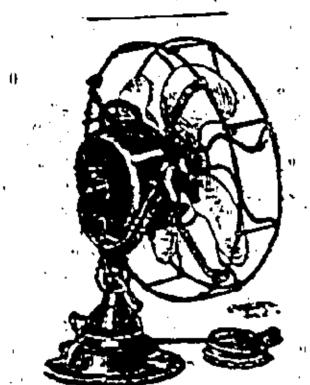
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REPLY TO CRITICISM OF LONDON AGREEMENT.

LONDON, May 20.

The fact that the French Chamber of Deputies debate on fereign policy was again adjourned until May 24 precludes the possibility of the Supreme Council assembling for some days.

PARIS, May 20.

When the debate was resumed further criticism was fastened on the amount of the reparations claims, the inefficacy of the new tax on German exports and other measures considered at the recent London conference. M. Loucheur, Minister of the Liberated regions, the first speaker on behalf the Government, defended the Reparations Commission's work. He said that criticisms were exaggerated and contended that the London agreement was

GERMANY MEETS HER OBLIGATIONS.

BERLIN, May 20. It is semi-officially stated that the Government unreservedly fulfilled the disarmament ultimatum before the expiration of the first period fixed,

CONSORTION PROBLEMS.

CHINA'S DOMESTIC POLITICS.

LONDON, May 21.

A dinner was given by the British group of the China Consortium in hou. our of Mr. Lamont, America's chief delegate. Addressing the influential gathering. Sir Charles Addis urged that there was no problem fraught with more serious consequences for the peace of the world than regulating the relations between East and West, It was essential that British and Americans should see eye to eye. In this connection the Comsortium had not been completely successful but it had done as well as human wit could devise in surmounting the difficulties of amalgamating interests. Immediately the Consortium was signed the Powers were confronted with disorganisation of the world's markets, also differences between North and South China. The Consortium was thus possibly condemned to a further period of inaction, but would be advantageous if it gave an opportunity to take stock of possibilities of the future. The Consortium did not intend to interfere directly of indirectly with domestic politics in China. It had no opinions with regard to relative forms of Government upon which China herseli

WHITE HOUSE PRESENTATION.

HARDING HANDS MADAME CURIE PHIAL OF RADIUM.

WASHINGTON, MAY 20.

A unique presentation was carried out with great ceremony at the White House when President Harding, on behalf of the women the United States, handed Madame Curie who is now visiting America a phial containing a gramme of radium. The President in eloquent vein greeted her as one foremost among scientists in an age of science and leader among women. He paid a tribute to her immortal work for humanity.

GRACEFUL COMPLIMENT.

BRITISH DESTROYERS TO WELCOME ADMIRAL SIMS.

LONDON, May 20.

As a compliment to Rear-Admiral Sims, who is coming to England on board the "Cedric," British destroyers will meet the liner off Liverpool on May 22 and escort her into the Mersey. Admiral Sims will receive the honorary degree of doctor of laws at Cambridge on May 31.

OUT OF WORK.

TWO MILLION JOBS WANTED AT HOME.

LONDON, May 20.

It is officially stated that nearly 2,000,000 persons have been registered as unemployed in the United Kingdom in addition to over a million who are working short time.

HOME CRICKET.

A STRING OF COUNTY MATCHES.

LONDON, May 20. Derby beat Worcester by eight wickets; Yorkshire beat. Warwick by 308 runs; Lancashire beat Northants by ten wickets; Glamorgan beat Sussex by 23 runs; Surrey beat Leicester by eight wickets, and Middlesex beat Nottinghamshire by six wickets.

VALUE OF A CHILD.

A BOY'S DEATH.

FATHER LOSES CLAIM. Mr. Justice McCardie, in the King's Bench Division dismissed an actionbrought by a father in respect of the

death of his son. Mr. Bernard Barnett, of Whitechapel-road, London, alleged that his son Sydney, aged 4, was killed by a falling pole through the negligence of the workmen of Messes Cohen and when they were unloading scaffold poles from a van in White C.B.P. is gazetted.

Mr. Justice McCardie found that Mesars. Cohen and Coz were guilty of negligence, because they, failed to morning, Lady Stubbs, wife of

But before the father of the boy could get damages he must produce evidence on which to infer that pecuniary damage had been inflicted

education would have been a sub-

warn massengers of the danger; and, daughter. On enquiry at Governbecause they ought not to have ment House about noon to-day, it child were both doing very well

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TRADE WITH AUSTRALIA.

COMMISSIONER HERE.

COMMERCIAL POSSIBILITIES DISCUSSED.

INTERVIEW WITH MR. E. S. LITTLE

"Widespread interest in China and the possibilities of her trade has been created throughout Australia as the result of the appointment of a special trade commissioner and I intend conduct a vigorous campaign with the object of arousing a similar interest throughout the Far East in Australian trade.".

. In those words Mr. Edward S. Little, the newly appointed Australian trade commissioner to China who arrived by the s.s." Tango Mare" yesterday, summed up the purpose of his mission here in the course of an inter view with a China Mail reporter this morning. Mr. Little was formerly general managers in the Far East for Messes. Brunner, Mond and Company and his 30 years experience of Chinese trade conditions should stand him in excellent stead in connection with his task of pointing out to Australian manufacturers the markets that exist here for their goods. The appointment is the first step towards the appointment of an Australian trade commissioner service-throughout the world.

"I have travelled through all the States of Australia and have addressed in all the big cities meetings of commercial men in conjunction with the Chambers of Commerce and Manufactures. National Women's of addressing the members of both Houses of the Federal Parliament. was also honoured by a special luncheon given by the members of the Federal Cabinet every one of whom was present. The result of all there meetings has been the arousing of a widespread interest throughout Australia in China and the possibilities of her trade."

"Australia is, as a matter of fact. the new commissioner pointed out. an Asiatic power, and she is more closely related to the East and Far East than any other white nation. Strategically therefore she is well equipped to enter these markets and the appointment of a trade commissioner shows that the Australian Government and people are determined to take their share Far Eastern trade. complaint has been heard from time to time packing and character of Australian goods but determined efforts will be made to correct any and all abuses that may have erisen." Mr. Little said that special attention would be paid to any complaints that might arise and his object would be to assist in every way possible all who were in any way interested in

trade between the Australian continent and the Par East. The headquarters of the Australian trade commissioner are to be in Shanghai but "a branch office will be opened in Hongkong as soon as the necessary staff of commercial assistants arrives from Australia. Mr. Little mentioned in this connection that in response to the Federal Government's advertisement more than 3,000 applications for appointment as, commercial assistants were received. When offices ... established. carry samples of Australian primary and secondary products and they will also constitute a general bureau where information in regard to Australian trade conditions can be obtained.

Mr. Little, who is accompanied his wife, is at present staying at the Hongkong Hotel where he will glad to meet those interested Australian trade. He will go on to Shanghai by the -a.s. "Empress of Asia" next Thursday.

Between forty and sixty thou-Mr. Justice McCardie was not sand pounds of opium are reported satisfied that the father had reason- be available for cash in Manila. There able expectation of benefit. The is such a heavy supply of this illicit child would have been subject to product that the price there is said frisks of disease and accident and his to be from fifteen to twenty pesos lower than that offered in Hongstantial burden to his father had he kong. In spite of the extraordinary secrecy with regard to opium importations, it has been learned that the trade is being supplied with regular consignments smuggled in. The activity of the opium traffic there is shown, according to information, by the fact that the monthly sale in Marija slope of opium, although carefully and secretly carried out compares favourably with that of withstanding the fact that Manila allowed the pole to project into the was learned that the mother and dealers are selling their striff for less BUSINESS NOTICES

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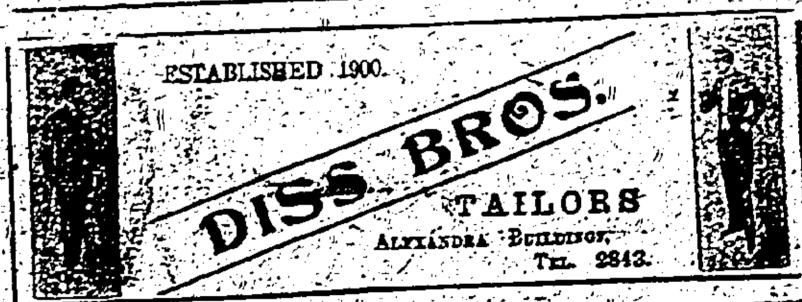
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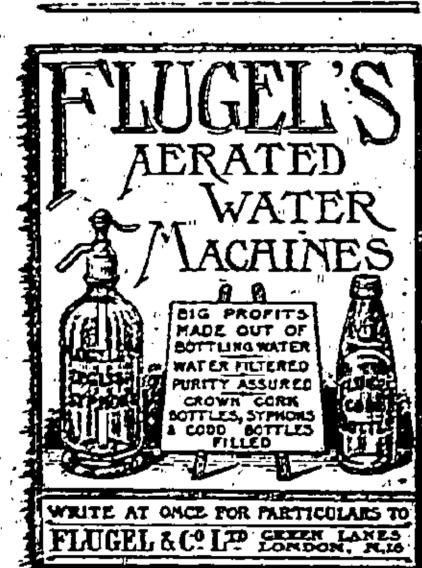
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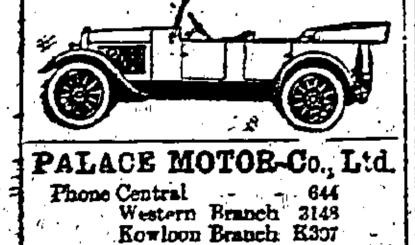
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THE OUTWARD SERVICE.

TRANSIT ACROSS CANADA.

Many months ago we wrote in these columns on the subject of the most unsatisfactory conditions, then prevailing regarding the mail service from Europe and Canada to the Far East, conditions which did much to aggravate and hinder, if not actually to harm, the business of European communities in China, says Shipping and Ergineering. Up till little less than a year ago, the fast and excellent trans-Pacific steamship maintained C. P. "O. S. was always to be relied on for the receipt of Eur opean mails, but when happened the regrettable and miserable dispute between the Canadian rostal authoritics and the C. P. O. S regarding rates, the arrival of mail matter from Home became annoyingly intermittent. The result of the dispute which ought never to have occurred was that the C. P. O. S. vessels ceased to carry outward European and Canadian-mails, though mai matter from the U.S., one of Britain's chiefest commercial competitors in these rarts, was and is continued to

be carried on the boats of the famous

British line.

It is more than regrettable—it is highly condemnable, that a miserable dispute between postal authorities and a shipping company has resulted for many months in delay to important mails from Europe to the Far East. From the viewpoint business; the late and intermittent arrival of letters from Home has a serious aspect, while no whit less approying is the delay to private correspondence. Few, if any, Britishers, make use of the Far East a health resort—they are here on business, business which results, directly and indirectly, in benefit to the Empire, and the least that can be expected from the powers that are supposed to control such matters is that the fastest possible postal service be maintained." To take the present time as an instance: the time that these lines appear in print, it will have been more than two weeks since the arrival in Shanghai of the last mail from England. yet in the meantime an "Empress" boat has arrived, which, admittedly, was stated in the daily papers to bo bringing U.S. and European mails but which, actually, brought no mail from Europe. dailying with one of the most vital

"It is "high time that this dilly assers of a nation's business, an efficient overseas mail service, came to an end. If the Canadian official or will not. apparently do not) take effective steps that some of the highly paid and not very much overworked high postal officials in London might devote a little of the time for which the public pays them, to a matter which is little satisfactory and regular as the preless than a scandal?

Much has been said and written and unsatisfactory. A rumour has recently regarding the re-opening of filtered through to the effect that the trans-Siberian route for the con- the Canadian postal authorities have veyance of mails from Western definitely come to an arrangement Europe, but it will be many, many with the C.P.O.S for the resumption months before mails can be sent by of the carriage of Canadian mail that route with safety and certainty, matter. There have been previous With the advent of the as. "Empress I rumours of a similar nature, and of Canada" and "Empress of China" while we hope for the best, not until to these paris, the C. P. O. S. versels I letters actually arrive by the C.P.U.S. will be capable, at no distant date, of boa's will we be convinced that the maintaining between Vancouver and quickest possible service is once more the Far East a mail service as I an actuality.

A NEW DECALOGUE.

WIFE WHO MUST OBEY.

DISCIPLINE IN THE HOME.

good many men upon return from military service have found some difficulty in adjusting themselves to the conditions of civil-life, The hero whose matrimonial affairs have just been occupying the Parisian Divorce Court is not to be considered unique. His military experience had convinced him of the advantages of discipline. So far he has many to agree with him. He preferred to apply discipline to others rather than to himself, and in that he does not stand alone. What distinguishes him is the earnest zeal with which he acted upon his principles. He wrote out ten new commandments, and issued them to his wife as a manual of conjugal regulations and domestic law. We cannot commend them as a model of legislation. They appear to us partly superfluous and partly tautologous For example, the first commandment lays down. "Your work must be checked every week," whereas the very nature of life ensures that al domestic work should be continually checked. In the middle of the commandment. instruction, duty as a wife in the home," which

decalogue, numbered either includes all the rest for means nothing in particular. Nor as working code was the decalogue well designed. Having been bidden to do all manner of things, the wife was told (fourth commandment) *Do nothing yourself without my orders." The soldier should surely have recognised in this confusion bad staff work. After specific instructions as to the way in which she was to dress the hapless To demand that orders should be executed without discussion is in the sound tradition, but we do not know of any army or navy which enforces or attempts to enforce an order "No slang." Military and conjugal affairs. no doubt, are, or ought to be, on a clear to the alien how French law found a way of granting the divorce.

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GERMANY AND CHINA.

NEW AGREEMENT SIGNED.

PERING, May 20th. By the signature of the agreement concluded between China and Germany relations of amity and commerce between the two countries have been re-established. Germany, also, gives China a declaration in which she consents to the abrogation of consular jurisdiction in China, and expresses her inability, through force majeure, to restitute to China all her rights and privileges in Shantung, and undertakes the fulfilment of the obligations arising from the Articles in the hina section of the Versailles Treaty the restoration to China of the German giscis and the reimbursement of the expenses of internment of German military men in China.

PLAGUE IN VLADIVOSTOCK

mitted to the International Red Cross Telephone EL Telegraphic Address:- VICTORIA' wife received the all-inclusive corps at Vladivostock for a loan of 200,000 Committee the appeal of the consular order Never buy any clothes with- yen to combat the outbreak of plague: out consulting me." If, as we are The committee immediately informed the assured, the husband had taken the health section of the League of Nations, military code as his model, it is plain and publicly drew attention to the facts, that he failed to study it, but also he hoping that an international effort will rashly tried to better its instruction. be made to eliminate the new danger

· CHINESE RAILWAY LOAN.

The newspaper Financier, commenting different footing, but to admit that on the Chinese Bailway Loan, a copy destroys the whole new decalogue. by the Department of Overseas Trade In any case it does not seem to have from Peking, says that the provision been really operative. Perhaps it was Chinese funds for financing the purchases because the wife had not had the of rolling stock should assist British advantage of a military training; but, manufacturers desirous of supplying the at any rate, she refused to obey material, but they have neither orders, and the husband has resign- organisation for entering nor the desire ed his command through the medium to become entangled in Chinese finance. of the divorce court, though it is not The journal is of the opinion that the process of evolution. Later holders technical questions which were bound clear to the alien how French law contract is a healthy progressive measure of the post saw sails give way to to arise in connection with their directed towards the real development of steam and wooden hulls gradually charge. It is often stated that Robert the country.

EARLIER: TELEGRAMS.

POUT CUP.

LOPDON, May 19th. Lord and Wodehouse (back).

HONGKONG HOTEL GARAGE.

an Chemists and the Country. EXITATIONS. CURE FOR ASTHMA

The Swiss State Department trans-

(Reuter's Service to the China Mall.

England's Polo team against America has been chosen as follows: Lieut.-Col. Tomkinson, Majors Barrett Lockett Three of the members are of the side master shipwright in 1537. Two these earlier times generally containthat recovered the cup from America in others, Assac Hatch and Bootes no reference to the technical officers. 1914. Wodehouse is a new comer.

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SOME INTERESTING HISTORY.

cipal shipbuilding officers of the Royal greatest of these, his title at first Dockyards, but which was changed being Clerk of the Acts and afterin 1875 to that of Chief Constructor, wards, on his second occupancy of successors held office for just over also bears. 300 years, covering a period during | The holders of the post generally which the sailing warship was in had no qualifications to deal with the process of evolution. Later holders technical questions which were bound

replaced by those of iron. Although 1572 is the date of the 1495 to 1523, designed the Henry appointment of the first master ship- Grace a Dien," the "great" ship of wright there must have been before Henry VIII, but it is in the highest this officials carrying out similar degree unlikely that this was the case. duties, for there were Royal Dock- The design of a ship of such unyards at Portsmouth, Woolwich, and common dimensions must have re-Deptford long before 1572 and tech- quired the experience of a very ablenical officers must have been in naval architect, and it is therefore charge for the purpose of designing, probable that Brigandin secured the building, rebuilding, refitting and services of a prominent shipbuilder of repairing the ships of the Navy. The the time who was either in the king's records at the yards are incomplete, service or in that of a private shipbut, those of Portsmouth mention building firm. His name, however, Henry Huttost, who was termed a is not mentioned, and the records of succeeded him.

The first appointment in connection with naval administration was that of William of Wrotham, Archdeacon of Taunton, who in 1214 was made "Keeper and Governor of the King's Ships." The title was changed from time to time, but William of Wrotham's successors can be traced "Master Shipwright" was the continuously down to the present official title formerly held by the prin- day. Samuel Pepys was by far the-The first master shipwright was ap- office; Secretary to the Admiralty, a pointed in 1572 and thus he and his title which his present-day successor

Brigandin, Clerk of the Ships from

-Engineering.



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OFFICIAL NOTICE.

Proposal To Change Steamer's Name

I, H. M. H. NEWAZEE of Hongsequence of an undertaking to that sequence of an undertaking to that effect in the Bill of Sale and for the effect in the Bill of Sale and for the kong, succeeding Mr. J. H. WALLACE, sake of uniformity in the names of sake of uniformity in the names of who has retired from this Company's the steamers of my fleet I have applied the steamers of my fleet I have applied service. to the Board of Trade, under Section to the Board of Trade, under Section 47 of The Merchant Shipping Act 47 of The Merchant Shipping Act 1894 in respect of the ship "BURRUM- 1894 in respect of the ship "ALL-BEET" of Hongkong Official No. INGA" of Hongkong Official No. 91,487 of gross tonnage 2420 tons 105578 of gross tonnage 2242 tons register tonnage 1561 tons heretofore register tonnage 1406 tons heretofore

ance of this advertisement.

Dated at Hongkong this 20th day of May, 1921. (Signed) H. M. H. NEMAZEE,

OFFICIAL NOTICE.

Proposal To Change Steamer's Fame.

L. H. M. H. NEMAZEE of Hongkong, hereby give notice that in consequence of an undertaking to that effect in the Bill of Sale and for the sake of uniformity in the names of the steamers of my fleet I have applied to the Board of Trade, under Section 47 of The Merchant Shipping Act 1894 in respect of the ship "MAU-SANG" of Hongkong Official No. 72,860 of gross tonnage 2194 tons Stables. register thunge 1673 tons hererofore and at present owned by myself for FURNITURE, BRASS AND TEAK- Permission to change her name to) registered in the new name at the port of Hongkong, as owned by my-

> Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Registrar of Shipping at Hongkong within seven days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Hongkong this 20th day

(Signed) H. M. H. NEMAZEE.

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"RUPARA" of Hongkong Official during specified hours · (excluding No. 123662 of gross tonnage 1368 tons) Sundays and Public Holidays) \$450. register tonnage 791 tons heretofore and at present owned by myself for The difference in rates above permission to change her name to "RIGESTAN" and to have her

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Dated at Hongkong this 20th day. (May, 1921.

(Signed) H. M. H. NEMAZEE.

MARTIN'S

OFFICIAL NOTICE. Proposal To Change Steamer's Name

and at present owned by myself for and at present owned by myself for permission to change her name to permission to change her name to BALTISTAN" and to have her LORESTAN" and to have her registered in the new name at the registered in the new name at the port of Hongkong, as owned by port of Hongkong, as owned by my-

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of May, 1921. (Signed) H. M. H. NEMAZEE.

DIPORTS AND EXPORTS OFFICE. EMPIRE DAY. THIS DEPARTMENT will be open for payment of Liquor duties only from 9 a.m. to 12 Noon on TUESDAY, the 24th May. 1921. Licensed Warchouses will be entirely threed on that day. N. L SMITH, Superintendent,

Houghout, May 13, 19:1. HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB

THE THIRD GYMKHANA is fixed for SATURDAY, June 4th, 1921. Draft Programmes and Entry Forms may be obtained at the Race Course, Hongkong Club, and Causeway Bay

Entries close TUESDAY, 24th May. Hongkong, May 17, 1921.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the 48th ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at its Head Office, Nos. 3 and 4, Queen's Buildings, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, May 27th, 1921, at Noon, for the .purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1920,

and of declaring Dividends, etc. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 14th May to 27th May, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board.

C. MONTAGUE EDE, General Manager.

Hongkong, May 5, 1921.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that IN the 55th ORDINARY YEARL) MEETING of the Company will be held at its Head Office, Nos. 3 and 4, Queen's Buildings, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, May 27th, 1921, at 12.30 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1920, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 14th May to the 27th May, both days.

By Order of the Board, C. MONTAGUE EDE, General Manager.

Hongkong, May 5, 1921. CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED,

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the 52nd ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its Head Office, Nos. 3 and 4, Queen's Buildings on FRIDAY, May 27th, 1921, at 12.45 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with the Statements of Account to 31st December 1920, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

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*C. MONTAGUE EDE, General Manager.

NOTICE.

HEREBY beg to NOTIFY the public that this Consulate will not be responsible for any debts incurred by EINAR JOHNSEN, previously of the Norwegian steamship "Providence."

SVERRE BERG. Acting Consul for Norway. Hongkong, May 20, 1921.

GILLARD'S

AVE you seen the advertisement on page 2 of THE DAILY PRESE!

INTIMATIONS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC OCEAN SERVICES, LTD.

I. H. M. H. NEMAZEE of Hong- EFFECTIVE from this date, Mr. PERCY A. COX, has been apkong, hereby give notice that in con- keng, hereby give notice that in con- pointed General Agent of The Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd at Hong-

Manager,

Japan and China.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Hongkong, May 20, 1921.

MOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that AD EXTRAORDINARY MEET ING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, or SATURDAY, the 28th day of May, 1921, at NOON, for the purpose of considering and thought fit of passing the following resolutions :-

That the Directors of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation pany to take the steps necessary for the introduction of an Ordinance into the Legislative Council of the Colony of Hongkong and for the enactment of the same by on business so as to allow of the many injured. capital of the Company being from time to time increased from 20 millions of dollars the present authorised capital of the Company to 50 millions of dollars

creation of 40,000 New Shares of May 28th. \$125 each to be issued at the price of £70 on the terms after mentioned. Shareholders on the Eastern Registers to pay for their London on the day on which the instalments are due.

holders in the proportion of one New Share for every three shares of which on the 28th day of May, 1921. Shareholders shall respectively be the registered Holders, and that any New Shares not accepted by Shareholders within the time limited by the Directors for that purpose be disposed of and allotted by the Directors in such manner and at such price as in their discretion they shall think best in the interests of the Com-

That the payment of the sum of £70 per share for each of the said New Shares be made as follows,

1st instalment of £35 on the 1st of July, 1921. 2nd and final instalment of £35 on the lat day of October,

That the Directors issue to Shareholders, holding shares less than or not a multiple of three, a fractional cert ficate in respect of each share less than three or in excess of a multiple of three and allot one New Share to every person who shall produce three such Fractional Certificates on or before the lat day of July, 1921, and pay the first instalment in respect

That after payment of the instalment, and pending payment of the remaining instalment, Scrip Certificates in such form as the Directors may determine be issued in respect of such New Shares entitling the holders on payment of the remaining instalment, and Directors may prescribe, to be Silesian discussion, which is a matter of registered as the owner of the European concern. shares respectively represented by such Serip Certificates.

That interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum be allowed out ! be entitled in respect of such New manner affecting them. Shares to participate in future dividends on an equality with old shares, in proportion to the instalments paid up, and from due dates for payment of same.

That interest at the rate of 8 per. centum per annum be charged each instalment not punctually paid, and be paid with each such That all moneys received from

be added to the Sterling Reserve FOR THE HONGEONG. & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

A. G. STEPHEN Chief Manager. Hongkong, April 28, 1921.

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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Revier's Service to the China Mail.) SERIOUS GAIRO RIOT.

Serious rioting took place in the be and they are hereby requested vicinity of the Ministries, apparently and authorised by and on behalf connected with the extremists' attempt to of the shareholders of the Com. prevent the official Egyptian delegation, headed by the Premier, Adiy Pasha, leaving for London to negotiate with the British Government in regard to Egyptian

self-government. The demonstrators attacked the mount ed police with sticks, stones, bottles filled. the Governor of Hongkong with with sand and iron and tree-guards with the advice and consent of the which they maimed 30 horses. Many Legislative Council thereof to effect policemen, who were forbidden to fire. the amendments necessary to the were severely injured. The Egyptian Ordinances under which the Com- Lancers intervened, and quelled the dispany is incorporated and carrying turbance. One rioter was killed, and

ANOTHER STRIKE?

LONDON, May 20th. The Operative Cotton Spinners Amalgamation bas decided to take a ballot . That the Capital of the Hengkong whether a strike should be declared & Shanghai Banking Corporation rather than accept the 20 per cent. reducbe forthwith increased from tion in wages proposed by the mill-\$15,000,000 to \$20,000,000 by the owners. The ballot will conclude on

The Executives of the National Union allotments at the rate of exchange of Railwaymen and the Transport for the Company's demand Bills on Workers' Federation held a joint two-Lour meeting in London this morning. after which Mr. Robert Williams stated that the meeting was satisfied by reports That the said New Shares be in the from the districts that the coal blockade first instance, in such manner as was materially assisting the Miners' the Directors shall prescribe for Federation to procure a satisfactory that purpose, offered to share settlement of the dispute, and the meeting had resolved to spare no effort to

tighten the blockade." AMERICAN LINER ABLAZE

MINISTER NEW YORK, May 20th. A fire starting from an oil-feed pipe very badly damaged the American liner Panhandle State (10,000 tons). which was manned by strike-breakers. The firemen were unable to suppress the outbreak. Consequently, the vessel was scuttled in the mud flats near Ellis Island.

ARMAMENT CONFERENCE.

NEW YORK, May 20th. The Central Trades Labour Council. representing 750,000 workers, has passed a resolution urging the Senate to pass the Borah Amendment authorising the President to invite Great Britain and Japan to discuss limitation of arma-

U.S. IMMIGRATION.

WASHINGTON, May 20th. President Harding has signed the Immigration Restriction Bill.

WALL STREET EXPLOSION ARREST.

New York, May 20th. One Giuseppe de Filippo has been arrested on a charge of causing the terrible Wall Street explosion in Septem-

ber last. NEW AMERICA & AMBASSADOR.

LONDON, May 20th. Colonel Harvey's announcement, regarding his participation in the Supreme Council, was received with surprise. view of Mr. Colby's reply to Poland's appeal, formally reiterated in the Note of the Secretary of State, subject to such other terms as to Hughes, to Poland, on May 5th, declaring approval, date for lodging scrip that American representatives in Europe certificates and otherwise as the would not participate in the Upper

> Colonel Harvey said that he received authority to participate in the Supreme Council on the subject of Upper-Silesia It appears from a message from Reuter's

of the profits of the Company on Washington correspondent that Colonel instalments paid in advance of the Harvey has been instructed to act only dates when the same become due, as an observer with a view of safeguardand that registered holders of ing American economic interests, if the Scrip Certificates for New Shares Upper Silesian question develops in

SILESIAN SITUATION SERIOUS.

LONDON, May 20th. Reuter learns that events in Upper Silesia have taken a serious turn, owing to dissatisfaction among the insurgents and shortage of food and money. A strong tendency is revealed to break strong tendency is revealed away from the national movement and turn to Bolshevism. The most serious food situation is, partly, attributable to the German Government upholding supplies, which is unfavourably impressing authoritative circles in London.

Paris, May 20th.

The Petit Parinen states that M. Briand, in a Note to Great Britain. agrees to a meeting of the Supreme Council at Boulogne, but makes it conditional on a preliminary agreement being reach ed on the Silesian question. Count Sforza has postponed his depar-

ture for Boulogne.

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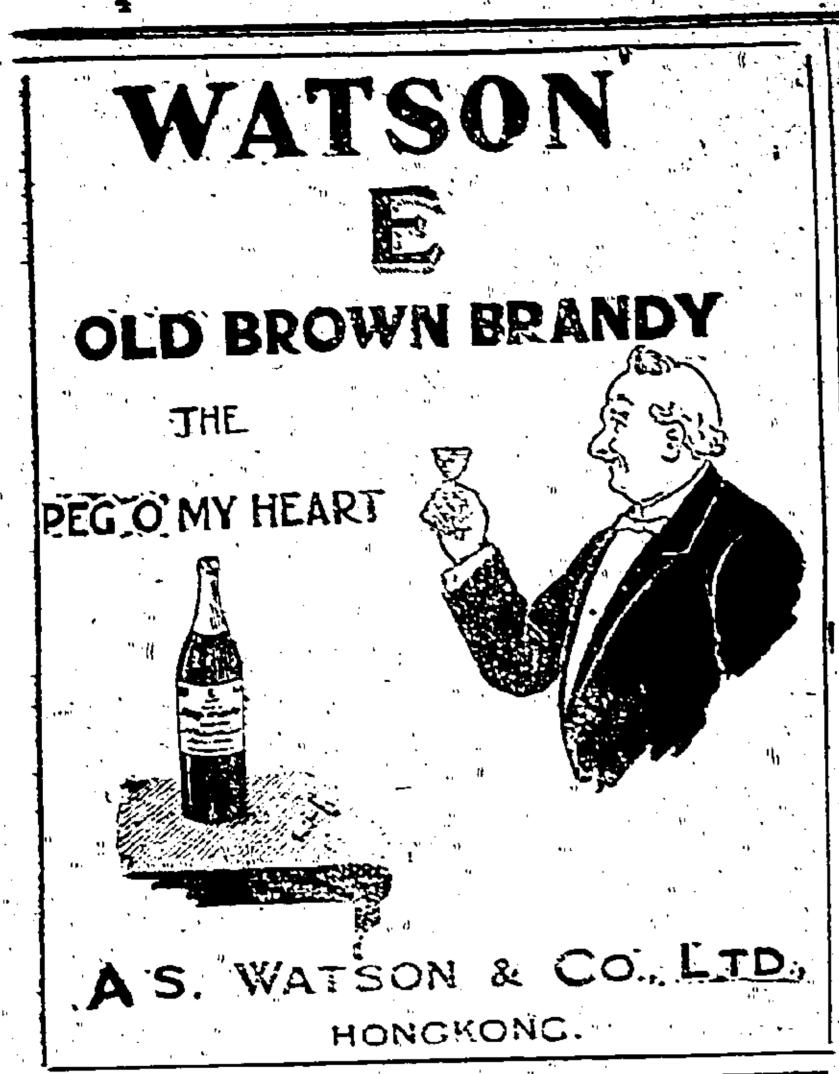
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HORGEONS, SATERDAY, MAY 21, 1921.



THAT WET HOLIDAY. ance of needless discomfort, to go headland, and run into a deep and swallow anything like Bolshevism. little, however, to the helmsman. To rain pours again. Some men would any country. Experiments that go tearing down the harbour, through begin to resent that—it looks so make production profitless always the crowded shipping, in rain that pointedly spiteful—but we laugh, and fail. I wish to goodness the antithat which is close by, is tricky work. no poinful sumburn to fear. Once, (if they 've got any) and let commu-There is hooting all around, of we go up through the wet herbage to nism have its head that's the until almost upon us. And the way beyond. We approach the top with nature and to facts. in which a silent junk will drive up the care of deerstalkers, playing at AFTER SIECTRIED BASSOOK. out of the mirk, and leave us to dodge romance. The country beyond may A white clad boy brings my pitating. This all the more because We descry a thin thread of smoke sterr up the daylight with a plague.

and sizzle, sizzle, comes the rain, but I feel towards the recent telegraphic He said: "I have no hesitation presently our four sails get us out of news as I used to do about the Balkan (impressive pause) "in comparing the thick of the traffic and we can troubles. The Silesians appear to be your work with" (another pause, grope more boldly for the white a fermenting mixture of Austrians. during which I had a sensation of beacon that marks Capsuimun. Rain Germans, and Poles, with religions levitation) "that of the late Spencer gets through the cabin ports, drips and politics equally mixed. I almost Leigh Hughes." Heavens! How my through the skylight, and ever into think it redounds to the credit of the face dropped. I could positively feel our tea; but this is the life, and we Prussians that they kept them quiet it sag. Hang it all, he had me on the are happy and make a jest of what we all these years. Now, since the war edge of anticipation that he was going cannot prevent.

OUT OF THE WORLD.

There is hardly a bay within a boiling over again. Well, let 'em. thirty mile radius of Victoria where one can count on being alone. I have had parties come into the exposed bays on the windward side of Lantao. But a wet holiday does, improve the chances of solitude. The idea is to shut out the old life altogether, and

trousers.

Jungle men walk with parallel feet, eucalyptol ni.N. menthol gr.XV. those lines. putting one foot before the other. ollubebs m.XX ol Rosse q.s., parafin In going along a narrow path, the liq. Like mosquito larvæ, colds in turning out the toes is instinctively bud. abandoned. The walker who failed to abandon it would constantly trip in the growing things along both sides. Even in standing, heels together and toes outpointed, the stance is less firm than with heels apart and toes in. It is one of those stupid unreasoning, conventions which so many people help to maintain, by parroting thoughtlessly what they have heard somebody else say.

WHAT IS TRUTH? characterises as absurd the suggestion but still fleas, still bloodsuckers, unsightly and foot soaking puddles that the Cabinet and the coal owners | The Constitutional Reform to arouse | we used to see. Everywhere beautiput their heads together to lower our enthusiasm would be that which ful smooth surfaces, that dried quickly miners wages. "The answer to would ensure consideration for the when the rain took a vacation. Good that," it says, "is that the policy of greatest good of the greatest number. work, we said, and blessed the P.W.D. the Government is the fully consider. However, as regards the value of Well, now, what about leaving 'em ed policy of Parliament, debated in direction by "trained experts," the that way awhile. Let us enjoy them the hearing of all the world." In the D.P. scored beautifully. We've had for six months or so, without making same issue its London correspondent some. We've seen 'em. The cadet haste to dig them up and disfigure pointed out as a defect of the Parka- system does not produce any but them. The Tram Company has had mentary Labour movement "that so Red-Tape experts and Panjandrums. its whack at 'em, but that's practically many of the delegates regard them- Real reform, by and by, will abolish finished with. I heard some men selves as mere registration machinery the cadet system, and the Crown talking of the likelihood that the city on behalf of the various Trade Unions, Agent system, and the system that Telephone wires were to be laid without any freedom or power to makes Crown Colony officialdom a underground. The present posts have express any opinion except that of preserve for Public School men. done for forty years or more. I am not the . . . cancus. If our con- Note that I said by and by. The denying that underground wires temporary will contemplate Parliz- tocsin has sounded, but the people may be preferable; but what I'm mentary debates and divisions in the have not yet got together. But they asking for is a breathing spell. Let light, of those wise words, by its are coming. Lloyd George has said us enjoy our present good roads for London correspondent, it may dis- it cover that between delegate and M.P. there is very little difference. It may, in fact, obtain a clearer idea of the a visit from a Shanghai journalist, at exactly 3 o'clock this afternoon. value of "the considered policy of Parliament debated in the hearing of all the world." The present House sunshine. My purring could have there's my plea: let the roads bide of Commons is a gross buriesque of representative government.

SILESIA. Silesia and the Silesians, but do you were putting their arms round my craft, and borrowed. Swish, swish, care as much as you know? I don't. neck and fanning me with their wings. to end war, with the world made safe to say Shakspere or Shaw or Mark for democracy, et setterer, they are

If the news from Silesia. - Should seem to displease ve Whistle an ana. Read adversaria.

And don't let ut tease ye.

COMMUNISM. The "extremist" Labour leaders

distinct thrill. We steal back un- Or sogging tent in camp. By George, manifestation of public dislike must Religion," especially Shanghai Eng. latter are more difficult than simple observed to our private beach, and out how it pours! (Forgive the slang : carry weight. You don't like 'em, lishmen. It could do them no harm figures." Pose! Bogus "arcana! with paddles throw up "earthworks." these sultry storms Afflict me with do you? They cost you money, o see the exocontile weer. | Logarithms are not more difficult of wet sand, behind which we can, if neurosis: numbling thunder. Shakes which you could spend on things more! I was greatly moved yesterday than figures. Space, he says, is no necessary, defend our lives my belief in academic forms.) A pleasing. They cause you bother, by the leading article in the Morn-longer an absolute. Space, he says, Childish or boyish, if you like, but Stevens blue-black atmospheric rum- which is unnecessary. They do no ing Post, which opened as follows: is "negatived by the new theory." fun. Why should the very young pus Beats up to blot the sodden day- good. And they are foreign, un- "Without wishing to discourage I thought it always was a negation, have a monopoly of all the fun? So light's writing Against the cloud- British things, anyway. If you agree the enterprise of Hr. M. Y. San, a negation of matter. He says Newthe two days pass, healthily, happily, crammed sky of bursted haggis Stand to that, keep on saying it. Passports who is reported to be contemplating ton "assumed the existence of an and it is time to sail back, out of the many-storied blocks of office build. Must Go. It will belo. realm of pure romance into the realistings, Verandahed lavishly to trap the tic world of ledgers and chit books and rain And hand it out again, As a other stupid things, including collars teller in a bank, takes in and pushes and ties and socks and shoes and back The filthy lucre that ties us all to this. I cannot see it, but I know the Peak, Stands back of me, as in a gardless of expense for the Suastika, in many undertakings," successful which can be comprehended in a Wow! When I jeered at Parting- Turkish bath, Enwrapped in steam, and refused by the editor as being too pioneers in trade finding competi- formula." Indeed? I'll, bet him a ton's paper, read to the Royal Colonial and sweating like a dank and dismal sectarian, may help you to remember tors planting themselves next door, dozen doughnuts it cannot. Much Institute, and said in effect that it cab horse. Out on the pattering that Passports Must Go. So will We have two refineries here, able of this nonsense hangs on the velocity was punk and fudge, I did not know side-walk people hurry, and bend to this one: that David Fraser would write to the meet the weather, and rush along-Press to say that the whole thing, if the expression a not too profaneword for word, was from his pen, and like hell-for-leather. The hissing appeared in the Trans-Pacific deluge splashes down to beat The Magazine for February 1920, over a darkly glistening flatness of the street. year before Mr. T. Partington read it to Only the care groan on through same, Passports Must Go. the R.C.I. as his own! My criticism rain-lashed twilight, and coolies in is not affected, of course. I say of their palm-leaf rain-coats force a Mr. Fraser's words just what I said grin, and beckon to the ricksha's it certainly is not my job to put it I remember Hongkong when there letters, and art? To me the most when I thought they were Partington's, vain delusive shelter. For days it is right. Last week I had a was no Morning Post, but I do not important news is concerned with But what will the Colonial Institute like this : our rainy season lasts Penang grievance, which I turned remember that the Daily Press them, and with science. What are do now,? Retract its vote of thanks? too long. Outside there's fury in down, and now, all the way from 15, welcomed it by deploring its trespuss the letters that are not art? "The And how will Thomas P. explain it ? the firmament: But I at home in Rankeillor Street, Edinburgh, comes in "well-beaten paths," nor that it art of literature interests me, but I have every confidence in his ability my pyjamas, am content . . . O a complaint about the medical depart- begged -pity for the "successful letters divorced from art do not.

CONSTITUTIONAL REPORTS AGAIN.

Thursday's D.P. pointed out that

Hongkong is "the home of strong vested interests," and that these interests, under the existing system, "get all the consideration." The argument is that Constitutional Rewould mean merely swapping one set of interests for another, ousting, to put it vulgarly, the bigger fleas in our streets and roads looked in the The Daily Press on Wednesday the interests of lesser fleas-lesser, recent heavy rains. None of the SELP CONCETT.

Thursday, who paid me many com- I'm sure the Panjandrums would pliments. I basked in 'em as in hear it even unto Fanling. Anyway, been heard two blocks away. He a wee. reminded me of smart, bright, clever things I had said in the past, things No doubt you know a lot about I had forgotten, and I felt as if angels Twain. It was then I told him he

had better go, as I was busy. -ANOTHER VISITOR. Another visitor was a Russian King George in open court. Shang- like Yunnan. Probably part of Bolshevik, presenting a letter of hai put him in jail for six weeks for Kwangsi will be added to Kweichow introduction from an official of the writing insulting letters to the later on, making them more equal in of many of the customs which sur-Chinese Republic in Peking. I looked Russian Consul (who was no longer a size: wildly round for a weapon, and hoped Consul). That was excessive. Then that when the bomb dropped I they gave him 18 months for No doubt many men would have be natural, except (of course) as at Home have proved my contention wouldn't suffer much; but he smiled, forgery, about which I know noth some day the child would ask, "What number of signs which point directly regarded it as foolish, a silly endur- regards tobacco. So to jybe round a that as Britishers they would never and shookhands, and talked, and was ing. He made himself a maisance did you do in the great war, Daddy?" to the days when a weedding was altogether a normal gentleman—per- in jail, giving all the trouble he could, It is bound to come, and seeing the merely a matter of agreement between yachting on such a wet holiday, as we lonely bay, where, a white strip of Now it turns out that communism haps a little more gentlemanly than which, by the way, an honest man formation of the League (of men who a man and a woman, and force, rather had last weekend. Chacun a son send shows far in, and to cast anchor has failed in Russia. If the politicians gentlemen are as a rule nowadays. suffering from a sense of injustice did things, either in Flanders or than courtship, was the principal gout. I like getting wet about as a biscuit-toes from shore, is in a way had held aloof, and given the Russian In fact, quite a pleasant companion. might do. My own opinion is that Stonecutters) I propose that we mute, argument used. much as a cat does, but that is when to get out of the world. First we experiment a fair field, as I thought Took my chaff about Lemm's defeat he was not quite sane, and that he ingiorious heroes who didn't should . The first form of marriage outside. I am all dressed up in the stupid catch fry for bait, and then sit on a and said was the best policy from the by the agricultural peasants in the was not quite fairly treated, get together and form our own of a tribe was the marriage by and complicated costume that con- rock in the warm rain, in bathing start, it would have failed all the most amiable way, taught me a few owing to the popular passion of fear League, so as to agree on an answer capture." The bridegroom simply vention imposes. Wet clothes are dress, catching gaping fish with a sooner. Oppression encouraged it. things I didn't know, and left me and hatred of Bolshevism. Mr. to the inquisitive offspring. Person went out, accompanied by a friend uncomfortable; a wet body is not. handline. Then back to the boat to Now it seems that the Russian agri- feeling more kindly towards Russians Faithfull thought it necessary to shock ally, should any of my own brood or two, seized upon some woman who It is, on the contrary, and especially clean them and fry them on the cultural producer will have none of than I've felt for a long while. In the Court by mentioning that he was ask me what I did during the great appealed to him, and carried her off in a warm temperature, rather jolly. galley stove. It is curious that every it. He does not take up aims to cidentally mentioned that "adver: "imbued very strongly with Socialis war, I am going to boast that I re- to his home. In modern marriage. Bo merely for decency the swimming time we get back on the boat, and fight it. He merely ceases to produce, saris." had not been overlooked by tic and Bolshevistic ideas," as if that framed from killing any of the the very name of "best man" bears. costume is donned, and the min, so are busy, the min stops and a gleam and thereby makes the others helpless, certain great people, and wondered were unlawful. However, the old numerous Jacks-in-office who I were witness to this custom which antefar as physical feelings are concerned, of somshine shows, while each time Lenin has confessed failure. In the why I should be vegetating in a man should perhaps be thankful he insolent to me during that crazy dates Christianity by many hundreds. does not matter. It does matter a we scamper back to the beach the end the producers must decide, in backwater like Hongkong. I could has been kept safe in jail. If he had period. It required stern self control, of years, for the best man isnot explain, of course, that I am hiding got to Russia earlier, the Red profrom the police; because I didn't letarint would probably have killed barrass the Government, which might armed warrior who assisted the groomknow him well enough, and in such him. The reporter at Shanghai has have felt obliged to replace with men to carry off his bride, just us the blots out like a fog everything save congratulate ourselves that we have Bolshevists would keep their heads cases it does not pay to take too many an erroneous idea of Tolstoy's appear- the puppets I might otherwise justi- wedding ring symbolized the throngs people into confidence. When the ance, if he thinks de Savine "not little affair for which I am wanted unlike him." Tolstoy had an inlaunches and motor boats, invisible the ridge of a hill, to see what may lie quickest way to get men back to has blown over, I shall take my tellectual look; this Count didn't rightful place in metropolitan society. He had a beard, but any fool can wear fice correspondent." It prints his hurled by the pursuers of the past. Eh? As commissionaire at a picture a beard. De Savine's cranial register scientific remarks. He has said some The honeymoon, itself, is nothing

Mary had a little lamb. She had it with cucumber. It didn't have a passport, "

Mary had a passport But quite forgot the visa

" NO BLONG MY PIDJIN.

The world may be out of joint, but consumption." Babylon, O Carthage! O Hongkong! ment of the University of which I pioneer," thus challenged. We had Queer, that such a brainy raper am requested to "kindly take some already three papers then, "able to should have such an apparently Why do we ridicule a pigeon-toed | I hear of a lot of cases of influenza. | notice." The matter submitted supply (more than) the Colony's thoughtless slogan." walker? We have no right to do so My heartfelt sympathy to the suf- bears all the marks of personal spite needs," and local demand did not whatever. It is the natural way and ferers. I've had mine. For those against an individual, so that I "call" for a fourth paper. But the the proper way. Anatomically it is shivering on the brink, this nasal wouldn't touch it even if it were a Interests did. Perhaps that's why for Hongkong) sends in this rhyme, fitting and in practice it is convenient. spray can do no harm-Thymol gr.V. Hongkong matter. Nothing doing on Chinese enterprise gets this snubbing hoping it may be deemed good

MA FREEND MOWHIRTER. My last reference did good. Have

OUR ROADS. It was a pleasure to observe how a bit, just to see how it feels, before hacking the poor things up again. Self conceit is a queer-thing. Had If all in favour were to shout "ave,"

THE RUSSIAN COUNT AGAIN.

was not altogether satisfied. To the purpose intended. Educated work it is never a bore. I've health Shanghai. Mr. Faithfull, formerly way of celebrating Sun Wen's in- But O! (Thus, my daily thought here, appeared for the police against auguration. But can coolies read? trends). I do long to see some blue him, applying for his deportation to I hear, though it has been kept out sky. Russia. The old man, who, accord- of the Canton papers, that Yunnan ing to the "Shanghai reporter is troops are already in Kwangsi. That Venerable looking and " not unlike province is therefore now sandwiched. Tolstoy," said: "I ask it. That Kweichow sits on the fence, waiting is where I want to go, away from this for the right moment to jump down Anglo-Chinese pigsty." He has on Sun's side. It is, of course, at spirit, and spoke disrespectfully of heart solid for the Canton government. palace? Well, why not? was much lower than Tolstoy's, things apropos Einstein. (Ex-more than the space of time when the Plesports Must go. Moreover, Tolstoy's ideas were very cision by the Editor). He says the captor had to hide his prize from her Keep on saying it. Most of you different. I wish more English gaussian functions are as much kinsmen until their consent had been the Rocking Horse is a valuable rising from a clump of trees. A Of impropitious twilight like a pall have no use for them, and every men would read Tolstoy's My more difficult than logarithms, as the gamest.

the establishment of another sugar absolute. evenly flowing time. refinery here, one is impelled to de- Newton is ad. The "scientific" plore this further evidence of a corresponde of the Times should characteristically Chinese inclina- remember a ortuis nil. Newton And so disturbed her slumber. Ition to follow in beaten paths indus- wasn't that kind of ass. "The cosmos That classic trifle, composed re- trially. The trait is to be observed becomes merely a set of relations to supply the Colony's needs and of light, which is hypothetical. There to export their product. Admitted- is no way of demonstrating it. This by they have made big profits a expert also thinks matis, the And so got tangled in Red Tape but that is due to world con- "purest" form of thinking. It isn't By Bumbles who did tease her. I ditions. Local demand does not An atrocity, I admit; but, all the call for a third refinery nor is it | The Manchester Guardian headling likely that any resultant competi- "News and Politics. Letters and

Just see how its own arguments for I'm in a hurry to go fishing; but any? I did. And got wet too. But cane, and even obligingly tells 'em frequently, not flippant. However, realizing the truth of "similia similia how. If the capitalists of the Morning here you have, it. bus curantur," I took care to get wet | Post had taken their own medicine. form would alter that. Some of both ways, and so dodged the Flu. we old established papers, who have us fear that, as we see it now, it It's all right. I'm touching wood to import at almost ruinous prices our "raws," might have bought our paper from them. Instead of putting their money into a newspaper, they should have put it into a paper mill.

and so avoided the "characteristi-

cally Chinese inclination to follow in

beaten path ." THE OLD INDISPENSABLES. Having thus pulled our contemporary's leg a little, let me now pat it on the back for the note it has in the same issue on Conscientious Objectors. settled. Giorgio, a Levantine friend which they were once looked upon. me in High Politics. Dose Irish-a," After all their record during the war he observed, "dev are worse dan painted. Indeed, it would be interest, officer? Have got wife, have got ing to compare the record of the C.O.'s small boy, only do-a his duty. I tell-a scientious, with the men who, in many I lish by da arm, and say: What for cases, were far more fit to go but were von killa me! I am man all-same "indispensable."

were not very heroic.

CHINESE AFFAIRS. he any objection to my mentioning I could not tell him. Months and months ago I had a his name? I think I know it.

kong in circumstances with which I however, was probably advisable, for current account is not low. And my round off the story it is necessary to Chinese would know without telling and I've wealth and I've friends. mention his latest appearance at what they could and could not do by And my spirits are normally high.

THEY SAID IT WOULD HAPPEN.

MYSTERIOUS DISTINCTIONS. tion would cheapen sugar for local art," caught my eye this week." What is the news that excludes politics,

A RHYME OF NEWSPAPERS. "Huntsman" (queer pseudonym enough for adversaria. Almost any-IT MIGHT HAVE SUPPLIED "RAWS." thing would be good enough this week.

conventionally "correct" way of the head should be nipped in the you noticed that since it appeared are boomerangs. It advises, as we "Huntsman's" effort is worth it if Robert McWhirter" is being already have two well established only for the cunning rhythe of the" original, and not faking American refineries, which have to "import first couplet. His epithets are stuff for local consumption. I quite all their raws" (a suspiciously technical shrewdly chosen, too, except, maybe. liked his holiday item. "Away fishing contraction of "raw materials"), that the D.P. one. The Press seldom and getting wet." Did he catch the Chinese should cultivate sugar roasts. Moreover, the Chine Mail is

> What makes a well read fellow laugh?

The solemn triteness of the Telegraph? The prightly commonplaces of 1 Pad?

The mordant dignity of the D.P. roast? The flippant genius of the n China Mail?

Judge for yourself. They're all for sale. ACCORDING TO GIORGIO.

The Irish question is as good as 'Few will regret," it says, "the of mine, has it all taped off. Stopped passing of the scornful feeling with me on the street, he did, and instructed was not as black as has often been Toorks. What for kill-a da young with the objectors who were not con- you what. Why he no take a dose you. I gotta my job. You go talin wid Hear, hear! It is a fact that many my master, King George." My friend of the Conscientious objectors were strongly reminds me of another friend, heroes, brave men who endured much an old Devonshire farmer, I talked more than some soldiers did, and it is with during the Boer War. He was a fact that some of the indispensables disgusted with the time it took to lick Paul Kruger, and felt sure that all the officers required was a little Did any Chinese gentleman advise advice from a practical man like himthe Government about those obnox- self. "Why don't they." he demandious proclamations? If so, has ed, "surround the old deville" And FLY IN AMBER.

note about a Russian Count, de I am told that they were expressed I ought to be happy I know. I'm Savine, who was deported from Hong- colloquially, as to coolies. That, replete with blessings galore. My

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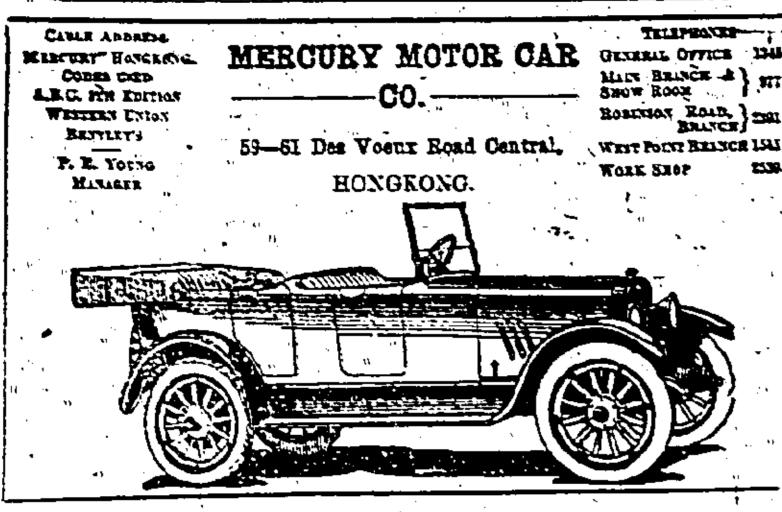
WHY

IS THERE A "BEST MAN AT A WEDDING?

When we dig back into the origin round marriage, even when it is regarded in the light of a religious They prophesied per poster that ceremony, it is surprising to find the

but I managed it, so as not to em- simply the successor to the strongfiably have slain:

With which the bride was bound,
and the old shoes thrown after the with which the bride was bound, The London Times has a "scienti- couple, take the place of the missiles.



STUBBS.-On May 21, at Government House, Hongkong, Lady Stubbs, a daughter.

> ADVERSARIA. (Continued from Page 4.)

PONTIUS PILITE Doily Nects, libels His Excellency the Lite Pontius Pilate, for whom I have long entertained considerable sym-"There have been hosts of Pilates Fook. since the world began; they have a perverted to evil usage the noblest

safeguards of law." When Sir William Rees Davies, in a famous meri tsai case, asked slavent! he gave a close copy of Apilate's famous query, "What is truth?" Bacon, not at all infallible. "soumed that Pilate was jesting, but I feel sure he wasn't. The narrative of sloan clearly shows that he was no mood to jest. He was certainly no "offence against the Liw. He wanted to as follows:acquit, and was distressed that his To Pay a Dividend of hands were forced. He talked with Justis as one educated man to another. with the courtesy of one thinker to another, and his famous query I read as a friendly remonstrance. "Why persist in a debateable proposition when it involves you, and me, in a problem at once practical and pain-It is necessary to remember his of Judaea he had a more now in progress, to which I shall cantankerous crowd to deal with than refer later.

ful?" That is how I read it · political situation. As the Governor of Hongkong has. They were always sending complaints home, behind his back, and Tiberius was less! considerate than is the Colonial Office in London. Josephus tells how local agitators had thwarted him more Depreciation on this occasion is less han once, and Philo expressly men-Sir Henry May was no more determined than he: but to hold his job for ten years, as he did: he must sometimes have bent a little. Tertullian's claim, jam pro sua conscientia Christianus, we may safely dismiss, as a case of wishes siring thoughts: but Pilate was undoubtedly a scholar and a gentleman, a just governor, and well meaning. The thing that caused his recall, the slaving of a few Samaritans digging for treasure trove (rightly Crown property) on Mt. Gerizim. was, for the time, a bagatelle we may overlook. He hated to convict, but when the Jews said "Thou art not Caesar's friend," a plain threat to impeach him for treason, and Ti-

hypothesis. LITERARY CHOP SUEY.

disappears from history. But that

shining question, "what is truth?"

There! My literary "chop suey cannot find one single thing to your sets has already prrived and is now be denounced. Ostensibly to prevent taste in it, let me know, and I'll try being erected; a second set is due sedition (surely less dangerous in to meet your wants next week. You're this year, and when both are in run- China than at Home?) it provides a fastidious lot to cater for, and if I ning order we shall be able to close for secret trials! It does not affect wasn't a chef with a reputation to down the old Wanchai Station. It Hongkong. maintain, I'd tell you to go to the Station at North Point to deal with restaurant next door, and eat mush. G' bye. Cheerio.

FOR A LAME BACK.

EONGKONG ELECTRIC CO. LTD.

COMPANY MEETING.

The 32nd annual meeting of the Hongkong Electric Co., Ltd., was held at the Company's Offices, St. George's Building, at 11:30 a.m. today. The Hon. Mr. A. O. Lang presided, and there were present the Hon. Sir C. P. Chater C.M.G., the Hor, Mr. Lau Chu Pak and Mr D.G.M. Bernard (directors) Mr. F. A man called Shillito, writing in the Marsh (manager) and the following shareholders:-Messrs. Chan Sin Ki Leung Yau Po, Leung Wing Sang, Young Sing. A. J. G. Rosser, T. E. Pearce, L. E. Ozorio, O. Bap.ista. Leung Fat-tin, To Tso Hing Siu pathy" and respect. He says: Kam, A. S. Ellis, W. Fraser and Ip

The Manager having read the notice convening the meeting.

The Chairman said.-Gentlemen. the Report and Accounts having been in your hands for the prescribed period I will, with your permission, follow the usual procedure and take them as read.

The Nett Profit for the year under review, after making due allowance for Depreciation, is \$464,912.19, and 1 think you will agree that is a very satisfactory result. With the sum of \$135,250.11 brought forward from last account there is \$600,162 30 availperverter of the law. Satisfied that able for distribution, and this your the Accused was not guilty of any Directors recommend be disposed of

> \$1.50 per share on 239,126 Shares\$358,689.00 To Place to Reserve for

> New Plant 100,000.00 To Pay a Bonus to Staff. .. 28,719.24 To Carry Forward to Next Account 112,754.06

\$600,16230

The Reserve for New Plant is towards the cost of sundry extensions

The Bonus to Staff represents 20 per cent. of Annual Salaries, and sincerely trust that this suggested recognition of their services will be unanimously agreed to.

Although the amount allocated to than last year liberal provision has tions how sore he got when the Jews been made in that connection, and appealed to Tiberius. These writers the second-hand plant which was help us to understand his peculiar purchased during the War at high difficulties. He was no weakling: prices now stands in the Co's, books Sanitary Board, who held a special at-a conservative-figure.

the year was 10,226,000, an increase T. L. Perkins, the Medical Officer of of 25 per cent. on the previous 12 months. A certain amount of difficulty is still being experienced in cleansing of a block of houses in Caine dealing with a growing demand for Road which is considered to be in-Electric Supply, principally due to the fected by Plague." delayed delivery by Manufacturert in England of new Generating and Distributing Plant, and under the circumstances it has not been possible to close down the Wanchai Station No. 23 on May 17, in No. 21 on the

as we anticipated. At our Meeting last year I men- May 19. Although no rats had tioned the probability of a Licencs being granted to the Company to supply Electricity throughout the Island, but unfortunately there has been some delay and the matter is berius being a jealous monarch, what still unsettled. When the Governmene could he do? Only what good people first mooted this question of Licence tolerantly admit he was fore-ordained we were led to believe that the to do. Unwillingly, and with visible necessary authority to extend would sorrow, he stepped on the bema (a be given without delay, and it is sort of rostrum) and delivered sent- therefore somewhat disappointing ence. The Abyssinian Church actually that nothing of a definite nature has canonized him. The story of his so far eventuated. I have reason to suicide is pure myth. Tiberius pegged | believe, however, that the matter is out before he got home, and he simply Government, and I need hardly remind you that when their proposals are communicated to us they will be endures for ever, a light-house to laid before Shareholders for ratifica-

level-headedness and scholarly so- tion. briety. He did not know, of course, Your Directors, realizing that the when he asked it, that the Accused granting of such licence would neceswho had enlisted his interest and sitate the provision of plant to cope sympathy desired to be martyrised with the increased demand for for what he (Pilate) thought a mere electrical energy, have made provision for further new generating plant, and for the renewing of the distributing system in the densely populated

portion of the City. . The first of the new generating will then be possible from our new double the present load, and at the same time have an ample reserve of plant, which we have not got at the

WHEN you have pains or lamen as in the densely populated the back baths the parts with chamberlain's fain Balm twice a day massaging with the palm of the hand load, and it is proposed to replace them send for medicine and let the necessary owing to the increase in load, and it is proposed to replace them send for medicine and let the necessary owing to the increase in load, and it is proposed to replace them send for medicine and let the necessary owing to the increase in them send for medicine and let the necessary owing to the increase in them send for medicine and let the child suffer until it can be obtained. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is prompt the present system, which is become and effectual and has never been known the present system of to fail in any case. Always have a set of pain. For sale by all transformer substations. The Combatta in the home. For sale by all transformer substations. The Combatta in the home. For sale by all transformer substations.

recommended that ou pressure of supply should be raised to 200 Volts, provision has therefore been made for doing this when the new system of distribution

installed. It will be obvious to you, Gentle men, that the programme of extensions as outlined cannot be carried through without considerable capital expenditure, but you must remember that when completed we shall have sufficient plant to double the present output, and there is abundant evidence that the business of electric supply will continue to bring in a fair return on the money invested.

I now beg to propose the adoption of the Report and Accounts as prented, and after they have been conded shall be pleased to answer to the best of my ability any questions the Shareholders may desire to

Mr. T. E. Pearce said: Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen, I rise with pleasure to second the resolution. now before the meeting. The figures placed before us speak for themselves. and show a remarkable record of the rapid growth of the Company's business. It must be a relief to the Agents and the Board to know that the difficulties regarding delivery

machinery

gradually being overcome. certainly gratilying to Share iolders to learn of the large increased demand for the Company's electric supply, and to know that steps have been taken to insure large and adequate supply for future expansion. I feel I, am voicing the sentiments of the Shareholders generally by extending their thanks to the Staff, Board of Directors and the Agents, for the able way in which this Company's affairs are managed. With these few remarks, I beg to second the adoption of the Report

and Accounts as presented. The motion was carried un-

animously. Mr. A. J. W. Rosser moved that the appointment of Mr. D. G. M. Bernard to a seat on the direcorate te confirmed. Mr. Chau Siu Ki-seconded the

motion which was carried un-Mr. Leung Yau Po moved that Messrs A. O. Lang and G. M. Dodwell

be re elected as directors. Mr. L. E. Ozorio seconded the motion and it was carried unanimously. Mr. A. S. Ellis moved that Mr. C Burnett Brown A. C. A. be re-elected

as auditor for the ensuing year at a remuneration of \$1,000. Mr. O. Baptista seconded the motion and it was unanimously

The Chairman: "That is all the business, gentlemen, and I thank you for your attendance. Dividend warrants will be ready on Monday.

PLAGUE "NOT BAD."

MEDICAL OFFICER'S ASSURANCE.

By the decision of members of the meeting for the purpose this morning, The number of units sold during under the chairmanship of the Hon-Health, Dr. W. W. Pearce was given power to proceed with the effective

Dr. Pearce explained to the meeting that numbers 17 to 23 in Caine Road were in his opinion badly infected, a case having occurred in same date, and in No. 17, on was reason to believe that they a ready ordered the removal of all ceilings from the houses in which plague cases had occurred and it was now necessary to approach the Board for authority to deal with the area under the byelaws in order that one additional house might be cleansed.

The necessary authority having bach granted, Dr. Pearce assured members of the board that there was no cause for alarm for so far only 29 cases of plague had been reported

They were now practically in the height of the plague season and might congratulate themselves that although he had to approach the Board for authority to deal with this block of houses the plague in Hongkong was not bad.

The Gazette publishes an "Order in Council." affecting the freedom of A B British citizens in China, which will Cor.

rapid in its dovelopment that every The renewing of our distributing mother of young children should be

TO-DAY'S NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ANNUAL ORDIN-ARY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, HONGkeng on TUESDAY, the 31st May, reply Box 1290, co "China Mail." 1921, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts

for the year ending 30th April, 1921. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of May, to TUESDAY, the 31st day, of May, 1921, both days inclusive.

PEAK TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LIMITED, JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON. -General Managers. Hongkong, May 21, 1921.

THE "STAR" FERRY CO., LTD. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TWENTY-THIRD ORDINARY AND LOON Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., NUAL MEETING of this Company will be held at the Offices of Messay, Jardine, Kowloon, and stored at Consignees Mathemat & Co., Ltd., on WEDNESDAY, risk. the 1st June, 1921, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to April 30th, 1921.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Commany will be CLOSED from WEDNEYDAY. the 25th May: 1921, to WEDNFSDAY, the lat June, 1921, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors

Hongkong, May 20, 1921.



/THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction. Subject to Reserve, .

SATURDAY. May 28, 1921, at 10.30 a.m., at Royal Army Service Corps Pier.

W. D. Vessel "HERCULES" Length - - - 85 feet. Beam - - - 17 , 2 inches. Depth - - - 10 , 3 , Displacement Tonnage 120 Tons. Engine - - - Cox's Falmouth. Horse Power - - 350 H. P.

Knots 10. Working Pressure per square inch. 150 lbs. Built at Falmouth. Materials of Construction Wood to

water Line Iron Plate. Approximate Carrying Capacity 25 Tons or 100 Passengers. As she now lies.

A detailed list of fittings to be sold

with the ship may be seen at these The vessel will be open to inspection from TO-DAY to the day of sale inclusive between hours of 10 a.m. and

Permits for inspection will be issued on application at the Auctioneers. Ship may not be viewed without

Turns: - Cash. HUGHES & HOUGH Auctioneers to the Government. Hongkong, May 20, 1921.

WANTED.

WOUNG ENGLISHMAN, seeks position as General Assistant, Traveller, or any position of trust. Commercial experience, Bookkeeping and general office routine. Excellent references. Now disengaged. Please

STRUTHERS AND DIXON, INC. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

> S. S. "WEST ISON," From SEATTLE

THE Steamship

"WEST ISON."

having arrived from Seattle via ports, on May 21st, 1921, consignees are hereby notified that their cargo is being landed at their risk into the Hazardous and or Extra-Hazardous TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kow-

> Consignees of cargo must produce an Import Permit signed by the Superintendent of Imports and Exports, Hongkong, before Bills of Lading will be countersigned.

All broken, chafed and damaged cargo is to be left in the Godowns where it will be examined at 10 a.m. on May 26th, 1921, by the Company's Surveyors, Messrs, Carmichael & Clarke All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here,

after which they cannot be recognised. No claims will be recognised after the goods have left the Godowns and cargo undelivered on and after May 28th, 1921, will be subject to rent.

Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignsture immediately. STRUTHERS & DIXON, INC.,

Agents for Div. of Opr. U.S. Saipping Board Emergency Fieet Corpu. Hongkonz, May 21, 1921.

PUBLIC

THE Undersigned have received in structions to sell by Public Auc-

WEBNESDAY. May 25, 1921. commencing at 12 c'clock (noon) at their Sales Rooms, Duddell Street. 1 Plymouth Rock Cook and 3 Hers, I Leghorn Cock and 9 Hens. -On view on day of sale.

Terms :- Cash on delivery. LAMMERT BROS. Auctioneers

CAUSE OF DESPONDENCY.

Hongkong, May 21, 1921.

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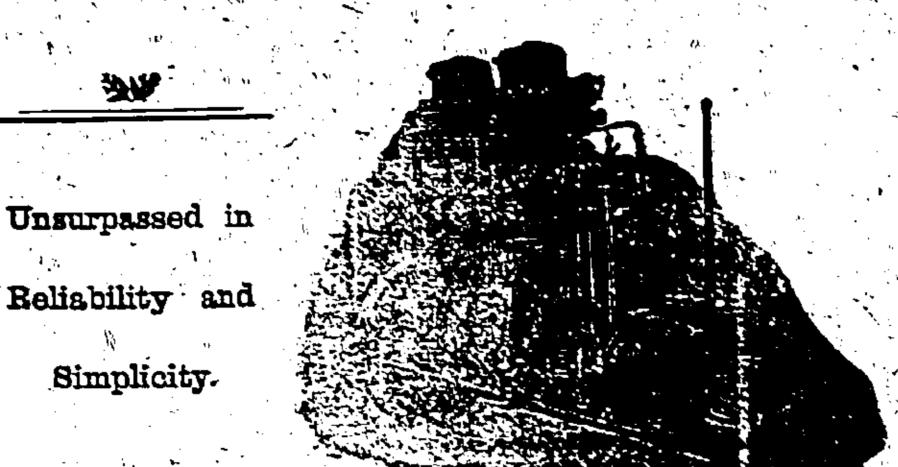
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\$45,000 FORGERY CASE.

DEFENCE OPENED.

ACCUSED COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

Evidence was completed in \$45,000 forgery case before Magistrate indsell yesterday afternoon, when the accused, Pan Yik Choi, alias Pan Chuen, was committed to the Criminal Sessions on a charge of having forged second deed of mortgage in the name of his brother Pan Ho, and obtained \$4,000 by means of it, from the complainant. Chun Poi Chee. The \$45,000 mentioned in the charge represents compound interest on the \$4,000 for 14 years at 18 per cent per annum, which is being claimed by

the prosecution. " The first witness heard yesterday was Mr. F. X. d'Almada, solicitor, who said that he had no recollection of this transaction, which took place 14 years ago, but he produced his diary for 1907 in which appeared entries relating to the matter. It these entries, the name of Pan Ho was given as the mortgagor. One o the entries read: "Attending Chun Poi He on calling, and he informed me he knew Pan Ho very well."

Replying to Mr. Jenkin. d'Almada said that the entry was made for the purpose of identity He did not know Pan Ho himself Another method was to refer to the solicitors who prepared the last deed for identity. In this case the latter course was not necessary as the mort gagee appeared to know the mort

Expert evidence was then given as to Chinese handwriting by Mr. Chun Kwok Ming, translator at the Supreme Court, who after comparing the admitted signature of the defendant with that on the deed, said tha the common characters "Pan." the two documents, "practically resembled each other." It was possible they were written by the same-

After this witness had been crossexamined, the defence was opened. course of the case so many of the defendant's friends had been called by the prosecution, Mr. Alabaster remarked, I call the defendant My friends have called everybody else, but it was not in their power to call him." Mr. Alabaster then very briefly examined Pang Kun, the de-

"You know," he remarked, " it is said you executed a mortgage deed on February 2, 1907?" "I did not," replied the defendant He further denied that he had ever been to Mr. D'Almada's office. He had known the complainant for 20 years; he and his brother called the

U.S.A. in 1909, not "three months HOW did after the mortgage" as had been

Cross-examined, the defendant said he did not know, until after he Feeling fresh and 'fit,' or cross he complainant, at an earlier hearing, had denied.

explain, if his story were true, how it came about that the complainant should pay \$4,000, the same day, to a man whom he must have known was impersonating the defendant. The defendant said he could not

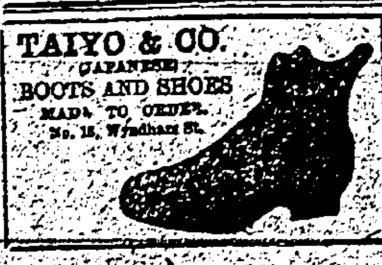
Mr. Jenkin: If you can think of a motive why he should do this. order to charge you with forgery 14 rears afterwards. I should like you to give me one. I can give you one for your conduct, but I should like

you to give me one for his. Defendant: I don't know. If your story is true, he committed the grossest fraild on your brother.

for no purpose whatsoever?-I don't know his business. Further questions elicited that the

defendant had to mortgage his moiety in the property he and his brother bought, soon after the purchase, that he had been frequently hard up, and that he had not made a fortune in America. He had made no attempt o repay the \$3,000 he said he owed. Both Counsel then addressed the Court at length, after which, the Magistrate, as already stated, committed the accused to stand his trial at the next Criminal Session.

Some months ago the Denniston Players. who visited Hongkong, stayed a fortnight in Singapore, and presented, among other plays, the American farce Up in Mabel's Room. We see that it has just been produced in London, at the Playhouse, and seems to have created a sensation. says the Straits Times." The censor. it is said, would not allow the word chemise to be spoken, and the garment was therefore variously called an under-vest, that, thing, that you Agencies for know what, that little fluffy pink thing, Mabel's, understanding, and Mabel's whereabout. Here in Singapore they just called it chemise straight out, but since this happened the town has nevertheless continued to preserve its high moral tone.



morning !

was arrested, that the mortgage and depressed, with a coated had been set aside. He declared tongue and a sense of being that he had borrowed \$3,000 on 50% below par? If the latter February.2, 1907, from the com it's time you tried Pinkettes, the plainant on a promissory note. This dainty little liver and bowel regulators which act as gently Mr. Jenkin asked the defendant to as nature. Two Pinketies tonight, "You'll feel better in

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Mary and Daisy were staying in the country with an aunt one sum-

Prince, went with them.

old, had never seen one before, of Astalot." Another one was of a though she knew all about hedgehogs tall dark lady looking out of a from reading the story of Mrs\Tig- window and near by was a mirror

prickles were very sharpt. "We must be going home now! The summer house was old, as children," said Nurse, "Or we shall you can imagine, and there were be late for dinner."

busy picking the yellow toadflax and So they left it shut up there and hairbells that were growing by the before they went to bed that night side of the road.

All of a sudden Mary exclaimed see that it was all right. carrying." And when Daisy and were dressed, they scampered off to Nurse looked round there was Prince the summer house. Mary reached it

"Put it down Prince!" cried Nurse | hedgehog has gone!" and Prince, who was an obedient dog dropped it on the road, but the next as Mary was taking up all the room minute picked it up again and trotted in the doorway. She squeezed past along faster than ever.

mouth is bleeding from those nasty the hedgehog with its prickles caught prickles. I do wish he would let it in the tennis net in the corner.

him change his mind, though what and packed into a small basket with Till his Daddy said," Fiel. he meant to do with it nobody knew. shavings in it and Nurse and Mary He will put out his eye." Prince dropped the hedgehog on London. the grass and went off to get a drink

of water.

it she was very surprised that Prince should have carried it back. Can we keep it now Auntie?"

"Well I do not know if your mother will want it." replied her sunt . There came into New York the rather doubtfully but Nurse, who other day a Norwegian steamer several was always interested in any animal, days overdue because of heavy. put in "Is it true that they eat cock- weather. During the first half of roaches Ma'am, because if they do her voyage she encountered gales and we should find it useful in the kitchen where there are far too many cocke!

can find a basket you can take it to storm ceased and the ship had good We had better put it in the summer captain said he had ordered the hair bouse for the night."

hear that. Daisy fetched a saucer of same rite in similar straits. Here is bread and milk which it soon ate up a most interesting case of "reversion. and then they called the gardener, to type." who put the hedgehog on a shovel and carried it off to the summer

The summer house was in a corner Every morning after breakfast they of the garden. It had not been used were covered with pictures which One day they came across a hedge. Mary's Aunt had stuck on when she picture of a girl in white with long Daisy, who was only three years golden hair, called "The Lily Maid ywinkle. cracked from side to side and that ed as the great storm-god, sweeping. The hedgehog was rolled up in a was called "The Lady of Shalott." the seas with warriors in his train. So tight ball and when Daisy touched Mary and Daisy loved to look at the vikings appeared his wrath by the it with her finger she found that its these pictures and their aunt some propitiatory offering of their hairtimes told them stories about them.

some holes in the roof, but still it So on they went and were soon was good enough for the hedgehog. Mary and Daisy had a look at it to a theory.

"Do look at Prince! See what he is The next morning, as soon as they coming along with the hedgehog in first and put her head round the door her mind. and then she cried "Oh Daisy the

"Let me look too," cried Daisy "Oh poor Prince," said Mary, "His | the corners. And at last they found

You cannot imagine what a busi- you. But Prince had made up his mind ness it was to get it out and Nurse, that he was going to bring that hedge- even had to cut the net in one or There once was a baby of Cork. hog home and nothing would make two places: But at last it was free Whose favourite toy was a fork.

There the hedgehog was handed over to the cook who said at first When Mary and Daisy's Aunt saw! that she did not like the "nasty

SUPERSTITIONS.

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tremendous seas which threatened to engulf her. Then, when things were "Yes I believe they do eat them." at their worst, the captain mustered Mary's Aunt told her, "And if you all hands and had their hair cut. The London when you go to-morrow, weather for the rest of the trip. The cutting because he had heard that his Mary and Daisy were delighted to viking ancestors had performed the

It was true—his Norse ancestors had done that same thing in the days when Odin gloried and drank deep in Valhalla. Among the ancients, the went for a long walk with their for some time but old chairs were hair, being considered as a peculiarly nurse. Their Aunt's dog a black kept there and the tennis net and intimate part of a man sometimes and white-terrier, who was called croquet mallets and halls. The walls as the seat of strength-was frequently cut and offered up as a sacrifice to the gods. Juvenal says hog, which was lying curled in fast was a little girl. There was one that the hair should only be cut at sea in times of danger and as a final offering to the gods, as it would offend them to cut it at other times.

In the Norse ages Odin is representeven as did their descendants the other day on the storm-tossed Norwegisn steamer. A shorn crew at a Brooklyn pier who have just sacrificed to Odin makes "the persistence of the primitive," something more than

found that it really did catch ever-

Mary and Daisy gave it bread and milk every morning and for a long time it lived happily there.

Then they went to live in the and they both began to hunt in all country. The hedgehog was left behind in London for the people who came to the house, so what happened to it I am afraid I cannot tell

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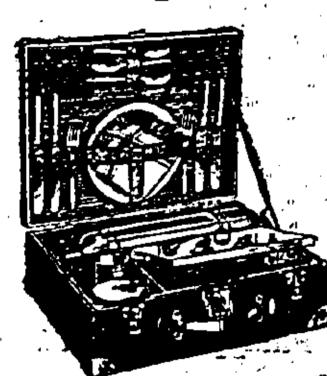
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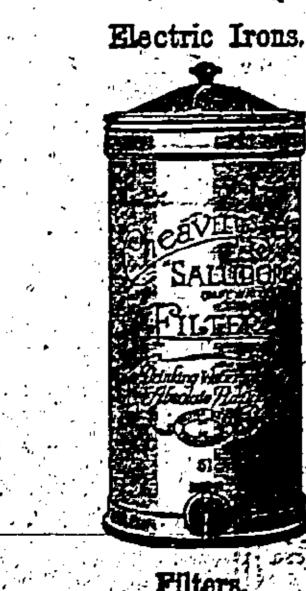


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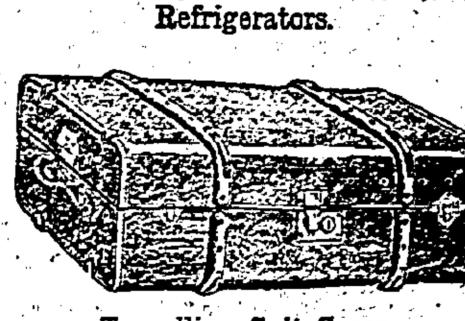






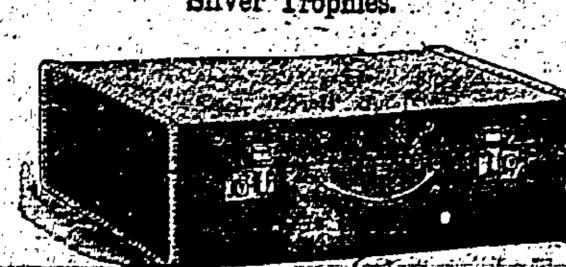
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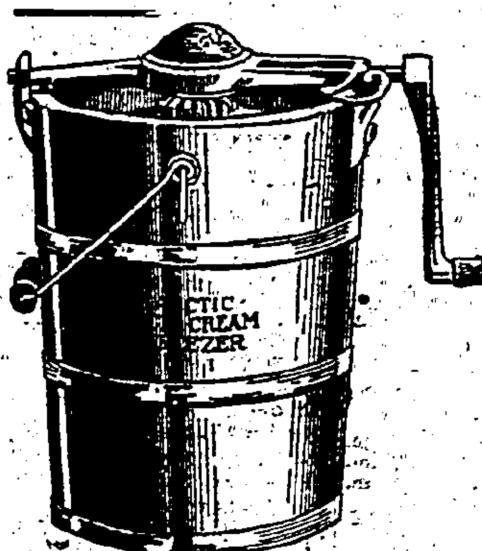




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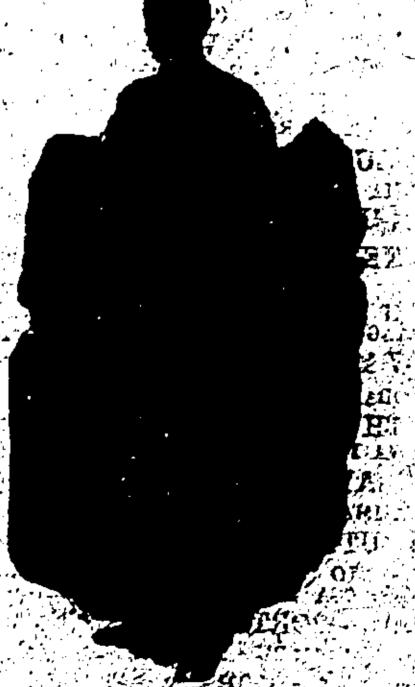
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	REELOWG.	Aug. 3.—B. P. Protesilans. 13.—A. L. Keystone State.	Level and Storage of water in reservoirs	Company's Office, Alexandra Buildings, Des Vœux Road Central. Senson and punch tickets available for all	BRANCHES: Antwerp Hongkong Shanghai	Por I months at the rate of My per annual. For 6 months at the rate of 6% per annual. Pos 12 months at the rate of 5% per annual. KAN TONG PO.
	May 22-O. S. K. Amakusa Maru.	24.—R. F. Ixion. Sept. 14.—B. F. Talthybius.	on the 1st May, 1921 — CITY AND HILL DISTRICT WATER WORKS LEVEL	cars not all ready full running at the time stated in the Company's time tables, but not for special cars, can be obtained on applica-	Batavia London Singapore Bordesux Lyon - Swatow	Colet Manager Eangkong, October Ltt., 1932.
٠.	PUKOW. May 21 —C. N. Sinking.	PORTLAND, May 22.—A. L. Abercos.	Tytam % ft. 1 in. Eelow 61 ft. 2 in. Below overflow.	tion at the Company's Office. No Season ticket will be issued until payment therefor has been made in Bank Notes or by Cheque or Compra- dore order representing Bank Notes.	Canton Marseille Tientsin: Foochow Moukden Tsinaniu	THE BANK OF TAIWAN, LTD.
	BL_C. N. Shantong.	SAN FRANCISCO.	Tytam Byewish II ft. of ft. 10 in. Below overflow 9 in. Below overflow Tytam Intermediate 14 ft. 57 ft. 7 in. Below overflow 11 in. Below overflow	JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON. General Managera.	Haiphong New York Vladivostock Hankow Pekin Yokohama Hanoi Pnom Penh Yunnanfu	Incorporated by Special Imperial Charter, 1899
- 4	June 2.—O. S. K. Soshu Maru.	June 4.—J. P. L. Saleier.	Tytam Tuk 41 ft. 4 in. () ft. 1 in. Below overflow Below overflow Wong Rei Chung. 35 ft. 11 in. Below overflow The Below overflow		Saigon	Capital SubscribedYen 50,000,000 Capital (Paid-up)
	HAIPHONG AND HOIHOW. May 22.—C. N. Eniforg.	10.—S. & D. West Carmonia. 21.—T. K. K. Tenyo Maru. 25.—C. M. Nanking.	Politican, and fine lime and fine Below overflow Below overflow and decimals by callows. IN The Political Law decimals by callows. IN The Political Law decimals by callows.	HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE.	BANKERS: In FRANCE: Société Générale gour	HEAD OFFICE:
	25.—I.C.S.N. Taksang.	" 16.—T. K. K. Shinyo Maru.	Tytam 133.94 122.04 Tytam Byrwash 1.25 .04 Tytam Intermediata 121.65 12.55 Tytam Tak 6.6.00 873.50		favoriser le Développement de Commerce et de l'Industrie es	BRANCHES:
		Aug 9.—C. M. Persia Maru. China.	Wong Kei Chung L40 3.99 Poktulum 20.53 10.00 Total 933.62 1,031.13	HONGKONG, MAY 20th, 1921.		JAPAN-Tokyo, Yokohama Koba Osaka, Moji FORMOSA-Giran Kagi Karenko Kasiung,
	June 1.—O. S. K. Kishu Maru.	LOS ANGELES. June 10.—S. & D. West Carmonia.	Consumption of water in the City and Hill District in millions and decimals	1	Midland Bank, Ltd. In SAN FRANCISCO: Crocker National Bank.	Makung, Nanto, Pinan Shinchiku, Taichu, Tainan, Takow, Tamaui, Tobyen, Ako. CHINA—Shanghal, Hankow, Kinkiang,
		VALPARAISO.	of gallons during the month of April.	H. S. B. C. T. I. selling rate On London 2/43, and on Shanghai 3754. BANKE	Correspondents in the Chief Com- mercial Centres of the World.	Amoy, Foochow, Swatow, Canton. OTHERS—Bangkok, Hongkong, Singapore, Socrabaya, Semarang, Batavia,
	June 1.—O. S. K. Kishu Maru.	(VIA JAPAN, HONOLULU, SAN FRANCISCO,	Constant supply in all districts during	Hongkong Banks \$307 b.	Telegraphic Address: CHIBANKIND,	Bombay, London, New York,
	July 22.—C. M. Nilet China. BANGKOK.	SAN PEDEO. SALINO CRUZ, BALBAO. CALLAO, ARICA & IQUIQUE). June 10.—T. K. K. Rakuyo Maru.	April of both 1920 and 1921. EOWLOOM WATER WORKS LEVEL.	Canton Insurance, \$400 b. er div-	Interest on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Local Currency and	London County W.stminster and Parr's Bank. The Bank has Correspondents in the Commercial
	May 22.—C. N. Pakhoi.	July 11.—T. K. K. Choyo Maru.	Ecwicon Gravita- 17 ft. 7 in. 15 ft. 2 in. tion Reservoir below everflow. below everflow. Propage of exilings And decirals of eatlors.	Yangtaza Insurance \$254 A.	in Gold. Terms on application. Every description of Banking and	Centres in the European Continent, Russia, Manchuria, Thington, Japan, Indo-China, Si. m., India, Philippine Islands, Java, and other Dutch Indica, Australia, America, Africa, &c., Interest allowed on Current Accounts, and Fixed
	" ZI.—C.N. Chinhua. 24.—C.N. Chengtu. 24.—I.C.S.N. Chunsang.	NEW YORK. (VIA PANAMA.) May 25.—B. L. Wytheville.	Ecwicon Gravitation 19465 205.52 Reservoir	Fire Insurances. China Fire Insurance \$128 b.	Exchange business transacted. Special facilities for French ex-	I hebosite at lares aurou ant pe dinocer on abbiscations: I
	June 1.—O. S. K. Kishu Maru.	June 1.—S. & D. Loretta.	Consumption of water in Kowloon in millions and decimals of gallons during the month of April.	77	Manager.	HONGKONG BRANUH: 3, Des Voste Boad Central.
	PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, ETC.	1.—B. F. Knight Companion. 2.—B. L. Winyah. (VIA SUEZ.)	Consumption 44 40 47.07 m. g. Estimated population 105.200 107,000 Consumption per head?	Douglases \$64 n. H. K. Steemboutz \$28 h. Indo-Chinas (Frei.) \$.0 b. 40 sa.	Hongkong, April 9, 1921.	Hongkong, September 1, 1920.
	MANILA.		The Government Analyst's reports show that the water is of excellent quality.	Do. (Def.) 235 h. L.R.	THE INDUSTRIAL AND	THE BANK OF CHINA.
2	May 27.—I.C.S.N. Loongsang. June 13.—C. M. Nanking.	July 5.—B. F. City of Madras. July 5.—B. F. Ocean Monarch.	Public Works Department. T. L. PERKINS.	Star Ferries \$33½ b. REFINTRIES.	GOMMERCIAL BANK, LTD. Head Office: 8 Des Vousz Road, Cantral. Hankow Branch: Rumina Concenion.	(Specially authorised by Presidential
	JAYA PORTS, ETC.	NEW ORLEANS.	Water Anthority.	Ohina Sugars \$225 n Malabon Sugars \$55 n.	DOMESTIC & FOREIGN BANKING. SERVICE PROMPT.	Mandate of the Republic of China on the 22nd of November, 1917).
5	May 25.—A. L. Jake Unawa. 28.—J.C.J.L. Tjüliwong. 20.—K. P. M. Van Cloon.	May 25.—U. S. K. Sumatra Maru.	EXCHANGE.	Missiso. Kallen Mining Adm 101/- b. Langints)	Current, Savings, and Fixed Deposits bear Interest at Rates 3%, 6%, 5%,	Authorised Capital
	June 2.—Nanyo Y.K. S'rang Maru. S.—J.C.J.L. Tjikini.	SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.	Hongkong, May, 21, 1931. On London— Bank, Wire — — — — 2/4-4	Shanghai Loans Comb. T13 n. Shai Explorations Ranbs 31 b.	will be welcomed.	
	15.—J.C.J.L. Tjiembang. 20.—A L. Glymont. 21.—Nanyo Y.K. Bornes Maru.	DURBAN AND CAPETOWN. (VIA SINGAPORE, BUZNOS AIRES, RIO DE JANZIEO, SANTOS AND MAURIFIUS).	, On demand,2/4-\$, 30 days sight, 4 mouths sight,2/5-\$	Tropoh Mines 24/- n. Ural Caspians 23/- b.	Honghong, July 9, 1818.	HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
	INDIAN PORTS, ETC.	June 14.—O. S. K. Canada Maru.	Credits, 4 months sight 2/6 \$ Documentary 4 months sight2/6-3 On Paris—	H. & K. Wharfs \$28 b. H. & W. Dock \$2.8 b. 208 ss.	NEDERLANDSCHE HANDEL MAATSCHAPPLJ.	HONGKONG BRANCH: 20/21' Connaught Boad, Central, Branches and Sub-branches all over China and
• • •	CALCUITA.	MARSEILLES. May 31.—M. M. Andre Lebon.	On demand, 550 Credits, 4 months sight, 610	New Engineerings T144 n. T15 b.	(NETREMANDS TRADING SOCIETY.)	Correspondents in Japan, New York, San Francisco, Singapore and Manila.
11	May 23.—B. L. Japan. 26.—N. Y. K. Nagato Maru.	LONDON. May 22.—O.S.K. Atlas Maru.	On New York— On demand, 481 Oredits, 60 days sight 607	Central Estates	ESTABLISHED 1824. Autorized Capital F. 100,000,000 £8,333,333	London Bankers: — The National Provincial and Union Bank of
•	June 2.—B. I. Arratoon Apcar. 6.—N. Y. K. Malacca Maru. 14.—B. I. Tanda.	23.—B. F. Agapenor. 24.—G. L. Gleniffer. 25.—E L. Katuna.	On Bombay— Wire 191	Hongkong Lands \$185 s. Humphrays\$10.10 h. 10/10 sa. Kowloon Lands \$31 b.	Paid-up Capital F. 80,000,000 18,556,565 Reserve Fund F. 17,353,284 £1,448,107 Special Reserve P. 25,150,000 £2,096,686	England, Ltd. The Guaranty Trust Company of
•		June 10.—N. Y. K. Atsuta Maru. 11.—P. & O. Plassy. 13.—B. F. Machaon.	On Calcutta— Wire, 191	Land Recismations \$125 n. West Points \$59; b	HEAD OFFICE:—Amsterdam. Branches at The Hague, Botterdam.	New York Bankers:—The Irying National Bank.
	BOMBAY AND COLOMBO. May 22.—C. S. K. Indo Maru.	21B. F. Anchises. 23B. F. Tyndarens. 25P. & O. Delta.	On Singapore— On demand 103	Ewe Cotton Mills Ld T 227 b. Kung Yiks	HEAD AGENUY:—Batavia. BRANCHES:—	
	June 1.—O. S. K. Tajima Maru.	July 11.—B. F. Laumedon. 19.—B. F. Mentor. 22.—P. & O. Syria.	On Manila— On demand, 1021 On Shanghai—		Bandjermasin Macassar Singapore Bandoeng Medan Soerabaik Bombay Padang Soerakarta Calcutta Palembang (Solo)	Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits.
	AUSTRILIAM PORTS.	Aug. 5.—P. & O. Kalyan. 16.—B. F. Teiresias.	On demand 30 days; sight (private paper)	Mincertangous.	Cheribon Pekalongan Tebing Tinggi Diember Penang (Deli)	Every description of Banking
	SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.	Oct. 11.—B. F. Ascanius. Pyrrhus.	On Yokohama— On demand, 291 Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tael) 50.8		Kobe Rangoon Telok Betong Kote-Radja Samarang Tilletjap	Business transacted. Loans granted on approved securi-
	May 23.—N. Y. K. Aki Maru. 25.—C. & A. Hwah Ping.	LIVERPOOL. June 1.—B. F. Hector.	Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) 8,05 r Silver (per oz.) 331 SUBSIDIARY COINS.	China Providents \$11 b. Dairy Farms, \$25 b.	Langus Shanghai Welterredon, Correspondents at Colombo, Madras Pondicherry, Bangkok, Salgon, Haiphong Hanol, Amoy, Yokobama, Melbourne, Sydney	change.
	June 21.—N. Y. K. Tango Maru. 24.—C. & A. Victoria. 25.—E. & A. Eastern.	9.—B. F. Euryades. 17.—B. F. Canta. July 10.—B. F. Eurydamus.	Hongkong 50 cents sub par.	B. K. Electrics \$23 b. 23 sa. Macso Do \$30 n. Hongkong Ropes \$25 b.	New York, San Francisco, &c., &c. London Bankers:—The National Provincia and Union Bank of England, Limited.	following rates.
	July 25.—E. & A. Kanowns.	20.—B. F. Yangtza.	Centon coins 15; X dis Hongkong, May 20, 1921.	Hongkong Tramways \$12-b. Peak Tramways (Old) \$9-b. Do. (Hew) \$15.	The Bank buys and solls and receives to collection Bills of Exchange, issues letters of condition its Branches and correspondents in	For 8 months—3% per annum For 6 months—4% per annum
	FIRM PORTS.	June 6.—H.E.A.L. Alcor. July 2.—H.E.A.L. Alchiba.	Bar Silver in Hongkong 2 % pp. Chiness Copper Cash 2 % pm. Chinese Copper Cents	Steam Laundries \$7 n. II II Steel Foundry \$10 b. Water boots \$161 g.	America and Acutolic, and temperate banking business of every description.	For 12 months - 0% per samula
	May 21.—P. & O. Alipore. 25.—R. I Tanda. 26.—R.Y.K. Muroran Maru. 26.—N.Y. K. Kaga Maru.	Aug. 8.—H.E.A.L. Briello. Sept. 4.—H R.A.L. Badja. Oct. 3.—H R.A.L. Tjimanoek.	Rate of Native Interest 6 % p.s. Chinese Sub. Coin 10 % vis. Hongkong Sub. Coin 2 % pm.	Watsons Fe n. \$18 b.	W. H. GEUSLARY	Hongkong, February 7, 1920.
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The Magistrate said that he was

the case to reconsider the question

aboard.

his clever company will submit new

of Poker Flat."

OPIUM CHARGE REHEARD.

STEAMSHIP COMPANY AGAIN CONVICTED.

PINE OF \$3,000 TO BE RI CONSIDERED

At the Magistracy this morning. Mr. M. K. Lo applied to Magistrate Orme for re-hearing of the case in at the Hongkong Thearre in an exwhich the Sai Hing s.s. Company, cellent film entitled "The Outcast ownersofthes s "Chungon," was some time ago fined \$3,000 for allowing the ressel to be used for the transportation of illicit opium. Counsel made his application on the ground that the Magistrate had not heard evidence as to the precautions taken by the officials of the ship to prevent

smuggling. The Magistrate granted the application, and the Captain of the vessel was out in the witness box. In reply popularity in America, Australia, to Mr. Lo the Captain said that the ship was on the regular run between has successfully toured. Wuchow and Hongkong, "Samshui terminai

Hongkong. There were also some intermediate ports between Wuchow and Samshui at which the vessel! sometimes called on the way down with a notification of an amendment the river. The vessel was regularly to a water-works regulation that can searched both at Wichow and Sam- mean nothing to those not having shui, and occasionally at one of the copies of the 1914 regulations. intermediate ports. On this par- Tip for the reporters: Ask for the ticular occasion the vessel was effect of this amendment. searched three times by the Chinese customs authorities and nothing was found. "The vessel was carrying besides other cargo, 800 pigs and several head of cattle which were kept in the 'tween deck, next to the engineroom. Besides the searches made by the Chinese curtours, a search was made by the officials of

the ship accompanied by guards. By Mr. Lo: Tre guards also stitutes on board, specially during the search the vessel independently of festival season. These men made the officials of the vessel Mr. Lo: What inducement do one could stop them. In fact one

they get for so doing? The witness: They get a percentage trip if any substitutes were coming for everything they turn over to the company. I forcet how much it is;

30 per cent. I think. So that there could not possibly over 30 years on the coast and had be any opium hidden in, the engine worked for many Chinese companies, Thom without it being discovered? - and he had never come across a com-No. I do not think that anything as pany which was more strict against small as a box of matches could go smuggling than the Sai Hing Co. undetected.

Could the place where the pigs and submitted that the captain's evidence cattle were kept te thoroughly feerched?-In a month probably. You see, they are shipped in bulk and not in baskets. That is the dirtiest part of the ship and is shut

You are convinced that every pre- law in connection with the sub- Hollow and Haiphong. gling?-Yes.

And you are satisfied that the rate that he could not find that the engineroom during the trip?-I am trade, as he could not forget that positive on that point.

Then where do you think the Counsel also argued that one of the opium came from. It was found on "Empress" boats could have on board you know?—I am sure it came board five tons of opium contained in fr m the pig men. Their quarter is a huge packing case, and yet the comtwo doors leading to it, and there pany could not be held responsible, was nothing to prevent them from as they could claim that they were comping the opium in the engine under the impression that the case room when the revenue officers came contained a motor car. In this case

it was similar. The company could en board. the case as having absconded?-I men thick the opium was passed to him by the pig men when the searchers come. He ran away because he was

ecared. account for the opium being found in the engineers' storeroom?—I think it was put there by the boy.

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INWARD MAILS.

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By Mr. Lo: They often had sub-	Sunday, MA	
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estival season. These men made	*Swatow *Shanghai and North China	
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	TANKOW AND DRUGEOK	Chunsang 9 a.m.
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Addressing the Magistrate, Mr. Lo		Charety Sam
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.tral and *South America & *EUROPE via VICTCRIA. Registration 9.15 p.m. search was so thorough that the ship had been employed for the transopium could not have been in the portation of illicit opium and not Shanghai, North China, Japan, Canada South America, and *EUROPE via VICTORIA, B.C. Registration 9.45 a.m. Letters 10.30 a.m Wenatchee

THURSDAY, MAY 25. unghai, North China, Japan. Canada, United States, Central & Footh America & EUROPE via VAN-COUVER, Registration 9.15 s.m. Letters 10.00 a m. Empress of Asia

FRIDAY, MAY 27. "Swatow, "Shanghai and North China Hangsang 9 a.m. SATUEDAY, MAY 28. quite clear on the point of the law in Shanghai and North China Yingchow Z p.m. -io- of the fact that one of the crow

*Correspondence bearing vessel's name only

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

It it said that an Austrian woman disguised as a Chinese, arrived at Bangkok by the "Ming Sang" from Swatow.

The death has occurred of Mr. Frank McRobie, of the United Engineers, Ipoh, in the General Hospital, Singapore, where he went for an operation.

Invitations have been issued by President S. Asano, of the Toyo. Kisen Kaisha, and Mrs. Asano to luncheon on board the s.s. "Taiyo Maru," formerly the s.s. "Cap Finisterre," on Wednesday next.

It is stated that Mr. W. Miller, the acting surveyor of ships, Penang, who has been granted one year's leave, is going home by the middle of June. He will probably be relieved by Mr. G. Heron, at present in Singa-

The death is announced of Mr. E. R. Henderson, C.A., Secretary, and Manger of Runnymede Hotel, Penang, after a surgical operation, at the age of 40. The deceased was the son of Captain Henderson, for many years Chief Constable, Edinburgh.

The body of Mr. W. S. Hitch; an officer of the B. and S. s.s. "Kao shing," who slipped overboard while the ship was lying at the Russian Bund, Tientsin, on April 30, has been recovered from the river, and interred in the Canton Road cemetery.

Mr. Edward S. Little, F.R.G.S., the Australian Trade Commissioner and Mrs. Little arrived from Australia by the "Tango Maru" yesterday afternoon and are staying at the Hongkong Hotel. The Commissioner will be glad to see anyone interested in Australian trade.

The death occurred at Singapore of Captain George Glenday, master of the "Hong Ho," at the age of 64 years. He had been long resident in the East and was for 16 years with the Eastern Shipping Company, Penang. The late Captain Glenda leaves a widow to mourn his loss.

The Chinese youth who was last week sentenced by Magistrate Lindsell to six months' hard_labour for the theft of \$1,000 worth of imitation pearls and twelve hand mirrors valued at \$1 each, from a Japanese shopkeeper of Canton Road, Kowloon, was again brought before the Magistrate this morning. Addressing the prisoner, the Magistrate said that he had re-considered the case since sentence was passed, and had decided in view of the accused's age and in order to save him from banishment, to reduce his sentence to one of three months and give him another chance. The prisoner: Thank you very much,

CHURCH SERVICES.

A CHARGE OF ONE DOLLAR IS MADE FOR ALL NOTICES UBDER THIS HEADING.

HONGKONG 22ND - MAY, 1921.

TRINITY SUSDAY.

ST. JOHN'S CLTHEDRAL.

Holy Communion at 7.50 a.m. Maties at 11 a.m. (Cathedral Choir.). Bespinses, Ferial; Venite, Barnby; Paalms, 22 (Battishill, Jones); Te Denn, Jones, Camidge, Camidge (15th morning); Benedictus, Trent (7th morning); Anthem, Holy, Holy, Spohe; Hynn, 180.

Litany 12 noon. Evensong 6 p.m. Responses, Ferial; Psalm, 93 (Stainer), 115 (Wickes); Magnificat, Smart Nune Dimittis, Wesley ; Hymns, 151,

The Wasleyan Church.

(OPPOSITE BOYAL NAVAL HOSPITAL.) Sunday, May 22, 1921. 10.15 a.m. Divine Service and Church

Parada; 6 p.m. Evening Service. Special Preacher, Rov. Edgar Dewstoe of Canton, Chairman of the South China District. Wesleyan Sailors' and coldiers' Home

Sunday 8.15 p.m. Gospel Meeting and focial Hour. Address by Capt. Holland; Monday 8.15 p.m. Chaplain's Class. Friday, 2.15 p.m. Ladies Sewing Meeting and Social Hour; 5.30 p.m. 1st. Wanchal Boy's Scouts Parade and Class.

St. Peter's Church, West Point. TRINITY SUNDAY.

8.60 a.m. Holy Communion. and Bermon. This service is fully choral with the addition of the following hymns: Introit-A. & M. 160. Gradual—A. & M. 183. Offertory-A. & M. 827. Communion—A. & M. 322. Post Communion—A. & M. 185.

First Church of Christ, Scientist MacDonnell Road. Sunday, 11.15 a.m. Wednesday, 5.45 p.m.

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BRONZE AGE WOMAN. PROFESSOR KEITH'S VIEWS

Commenting on the discovery in Danish field of the body of a woman in a petticoat who died about 3,000 years ago, enclosed in a hollowed tree coffin, Professor Arthur Keith, the eminent anthropologist, told a re-

"Numerous bodies have been found in Denmark buried in the trunks of trees. Some have been discovered about 40 years ago in Yorkshire and are now, I believe, in [fel. 1104. 18, Queen's Rd. Costral. a museum in that county.

"The bodies are those of a roundheaded people who lived in what is now Denmark some 3,000 years ago. These people invaded England and 11 a.m. Sung Kucharist, with Procession settled in Yorkshire, and this form Tel. 2108 and 2908. of burial is a custom they had. It must have been used only for people of rank or note. The bodies of such dead were wrapped in a cow-hide before burial. They have sometimes been preserved by the nature of the soil. It is likely that this body was discovered in peat.

"." The death of this woman would appear to have occurred late in the Bronze Age, certainly before the Iron

"The anthropological experts in Denmark are far in advance of those of other countries. In examining the remains they can be relied on to BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

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